

BLOW OWN MEN TO ATOMS TO STOP RUSSIAN ARMY MUTINY

"Blood and Iron" Policy Being Put Into Effect With Vigor

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT REVIVED

Cossacks Continue to Give Way Before Germans; Germans Have Excellent Opportunity to Penetrate Line on Entire Front; But Russians and Rumanians Make Some Gains; New Proclamation; Germans Lose in France.

Petrograd, Russia, July 26.—The Russian policy of "blood and iron" is to be carried out along lines which bode ill for the seditious troops along the eastern front and those persons within the country who are trying to nullify the good work which has followed in the wake of the revolution.

Capital punishment has again been put into effect with the demand of the military commanders at the front. General Korniloff, commander of the forces in Galicia, whose disaffections and desertions have brought havoc in the ranks of the Russians, declares that the death penalty is the only means of saving the army. The measure is of temporary character, to have effect until the end of the military operations.

Prior to the acquiescence of the government, General Korniloff it is reported took the drastic step of having a division of fleeing cowards of the Eleventh army shot to pieces by its own artillery.

Russians Giving Way.

The Russian troops are continuing to give way before the Germans. The town of Bucez and others have been captured by the Teutonic allies and the Russians also have been driven from the Tartar paths in the Carpathians. The withdrawal of the Russians apparently paves the way for the Teutons to penetrate the line running through Muldovia to where the Danube bends eastward toward the sea. Already Berlin reports the Germans to be headed in the direction of Cernowicz, capital of Bukovina.

In addition to breaching the German line south of the Carpathians, the Russians and Rumanians made large captures of men and guns. To the Rumanians here came as a reward, more than a thousand prisoners, while the Russians took for their part approximately the same number of prisoners and 24 guns.

To the north around Krevno, the Germans have been enabled to re-

capture the greater part of the territory taken from them early in the week, compelling the Russians to fall back.

Russia Cannot Resist.

Petrograd, Russia, via London, England, July 26, British admiralty per wireless press. Another proclamation has been issued on behalf of the executives of the workmen's and soldiers' delegates and the peasants' congress. It is addressed to all committees of the army and to the fleet. It reads partly as follows:

"Lack of discipline and open treachery at the front are facilitating Field Marshal von Hindenburg's new offensive. The serious defeat inflicted on our army is opening the way for increasing the general panic and preparing the soil in which the poisonous seeds of counterrevolution may come into full bloom. Already an attack is being organized by the strong Bour-

KERENSKY WOUNDED; WOMEN FIGHT HARD

Geneva, Switzerland, July 26.—A dispatch dated July 2 printed by the Budapest A Zest records the first contact of Austrian troops with Russian women battalions. The fighting took place on the Brzezany front and the dispatch says the women fought with extraordinary bravery, counter attacking fiercely.

The same dispatch said that Minister Kerensky was severely wounded in the left arm.

geos. Already the jack's and hyenas of the old regime are howling." The statement also appeals for a "rally round all our Russian centers and we will soon show the country and the world, that the nation which created the greatest revolution in the world shall not and cannot perish."

Germans Lose Heavily.

Again the Germans have made a vicious thrust in the French line in the Alsine region in France and again they have paid dearly in men killed and wounded for a slight gain. The attack was delivered over a front of two miles, but only to the south of the Ailles was the Crown Prince's army able to penetrate French line trenches. Over a 40 mile front from the coast in Flanders to the River Lys the terrific artillery duel between the British and Germans continued, but as yet no attempt has been made by either side to throw the infantry into the struggle. The Germans are said to be suffering from "nerves" and are raining shells into the trenches. The Lens sector, Armentieres and other places recently have received visitations from large numbers of German projectiles.

German steamers attempting to ply in the North sea are meeting with short life from patrolling British torpedo boat destroyers. Two additional vessels have been sunk by destroyers and two others captured and taken into an English port.

Paris, France, July 26.—Intense bombardments and heavy fighting at various points on the French front are reported in the official communication issued tonight by the war office. The French succeeded in gaining some ground.

STOP PASSAGE OF "MASSES"

Operation of Injunction Against Postmaster Stayed by Circuit Court.
New York, July 26.—Upon petition of the federal government an order was granted in the United States circuit court of appeals today staying the operation of an injunction obtained against Thomas G. Patten, postmaster of New York, by which the "Masses," a radical journal, sought admission to the mails from which it had been barred. Arguments will be heard August 2.

The "Masses," which had been forbidden the use of the mails by the government under the act of June 18 last, obtained an injunction restraining Postmaster Patten from putting the law into effect.

It is contended that the injunction, while only preliminary, would act as a permanent injunction in case the magazine was forwarded to subscribers. If there is error in the findings in favor of the Masses the government argues greater damage would be done the country than to the publishers.

EAGERLY AWAIT FIRST DRAFT BOARD REPORT

IT WOULD GIVE IDEA OF PERCENTAGE OF EXEMPTIONS

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Reports of the first selection board to fill their quotas for the selective draft army are eagerly awaited by Washington officials because they will give the first definite information as to the probable percentage of rejections to be expected among the 10,000,000 registrants.

All available statistics indicate a probable rejection of one in every four for physical disability. In particular localities this will vary greatly but the average for the whole country is expected to be between 35 and 40 per cent. There are no records as to dependents.

It is probable that peculiar results will be brought out in some districts. If the reasoning of some officials is correct the lowest exemption and rejection rate will be disclosed in well to do communities such as suburban communities. Sons of such men it is argued have received better food and better surroundings than men in factory work.

Virtually every married man of those registered in factory cities is the sole support of his wife and children and men will be taken. Also if the industry in which they are engaged is vital to the conduct of the war industrial exemptions will be made in those places.

Will Not Take If Wives Dependent.

Trenton, N. J., July 26.—According to the interpretation placed by the military authorities here upon a letter just received from Provost Marshal General Crowder, drafted men who have married or who have been married since the conscription, will not have to serve if their brides are dependent upon them. The impression has prevailed here that men who marry after June 5, did so to escape being drafted and that such action would not be recognized as sufficient to keep the drafted men from having to serve.

A paragraph from General Crowder's reply states:

"In reference to marriage after June 5, 1917, it would seem in like manner that the same for discharge because of dependency should be as on the day of the calling."

So many aliens of military age in various districts of Brownsville, the lower East Side and the Bronx have not taken out their first naturalization papers that it is doubtful that the quotas allotted them under the national draft act can be filled. It was announced here today, Roscoe S. Conkling said that he had asked Washington for advice, as the draft law did not cover the situation.

Many fictitious addresses have been found on the registration books in lodging houses on the water front.

COMMONS LAUGHS AS IT VOTES AGAINST PEACE

SMALL NUMBER AT THE SESSIONS TELLS DEGREE OF INTEREST

London, England, July 26.—The house of commons after employing the whole evening session in a discussion of a peace resolution moved by James Ramsey MacDonald, Socialist and labor member, defeated it by a vote of 148 to 19. The announcement of the figures was received with some cheers and much laughter.

The smallness of the numbers in the house is an indication of the little interest it had in any such proceeding. Mr. MacDonald as told by the vote, found very few supporters. George James Wardle, in behalf of the labor party, declined to have anything to do with this pacifist resolution.

The speech of Andrew Bonar Law, the government leader in the house, dealt largely with the Russian situation. Philip Snowden, Socialist, said the debate disclosed that the British government, more than any other belligerent was standing in the way of an early settlement. He protested against more blood being shed to restore Alsace Lorraine to France.

CANNOT WIN WAR BY INCOME TAXES

Roosevelt Says Our First Duty Is to Fight

UNIVERSAL TRAINING GOES TO CONFERENCE

Declares It Would Have Averted Our Present Miracle of Inefficiency

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 26.—Amid the cheers of thousands of visitors gathered here for the international convention of the Loyal Order of Moose, Former President Theodore Roosevelt declared today that the continuation of universal military training in the United States after the war is the nation's only security against a repetition of the nation's unpreparedness by which it is handicapped at the present time.

The former president assailed the theory that the war can be financed by a tremendous tax on incomes and declared for a heavy tax on excess profits.

"We are in war and our first business is to fight," said Mr. Roosevelt. "Only a few months ago I heard people say that they would give money, potatoes, and other things, but that they would let some one else fight for them. This is pawn brokers' patriotism."

In another brief address earlier in the day Mr. Roosevelt said all his kin who were eligible had lined up for military service and that it "isn't my fault that I am not over there now."

A monster parade tonight in which Mr. Roosevelt appeared was the closing feature of the day's program.

Prepare for the next national emergency by introducing the principle of obligatory universal military training for young men in time of peace and universal service in time of war for every man and woman in the country, was the admonition delivered by Theodore Roosevelt in his address.

As compared to the other nations of the world, he declared, Americans had in this war exhibited themselves a miracle of inefficiency.

ernment announces that the measures of preparedness now in progress are temporary and will be stopped as soon as the emergency is over, Colonel Roosevelt characterized this as a "criminal refusal to provide for the future."

He summed up what America had accomplished since the declaration of a state of war with Germany by stating that the United States did not now have a single airplane fit to send across the German lines, and that months must pass before one could be manufactured, that America had no heavy artillery to put in the battle line and that Major General Pershing and his soldiers would have to trust to French and English guns. American submarine chasers operating with the British fleet constituted, he said, only a tiny fraction of the English force. It would be a year after the declaration of war before America would have a fair number of big cargo ships.

"We have not enough rifles for our men," said Colonel Roosevelt. "We are painfully short in equipment. We have not yet begun to assemble the draft army, the first elementary officers' training camps have not been finished, the National Guard has only just begun to mobilize."

"We have put a fragment of our fine little regular army into France, and as it is composed almost exclusively of infantry without artillery, it would be helpless against any well-equipped enemy were it not aided by our allies."

"This is the sum total of the activities of a nation of 100,000,000 people, and in possession of incalculable wealth and boundless resources, during the six months following its entry after two and one-half years' warning into the greatest war in history."

"The simple truth is that, relatively to the other great nations of the world, we have in this war exhibited ourselves a miracle of inefficiency; and we shall always be inefficient during the first vital months of any war until we learn to prepare in advance."

"It is this utter unpreparedness which should convey the real lesson to us of this war. And remember that as yet we as a people, acting through our governmental authorities, have not taken one step to avert disaster in the future by introducing a permanent policy of preparedness. The measures under which we are now acting are temporary makeshifts, announced to be such. We have been caught utterly unprepared in a terrible emergency because we did nothing until the emergency actually arose, and now, our government announces that what we are doing is purely temporary; that we shall stop doing it as soon as the emergency is over, and will then remain equally unprepared for the next emergency."

"It is this blind refusal—from the nation's standpoint I can only call it the criminal refusal—to provide for the future that forces every honest and far-sighted lover of America to speak."

"We cannot afford to count for safety on anything but our own armed strength; the only way to make our strength effective is to make it ready in advance; and the only way really to make ready in advance is to introduce the principle of obligatory universal military training in time of peace for our young men, and universal

PASS RIVERS-HARBORS BILL

Senate Votes 5 to 11 After Four Day Debate

GOES TO CONFERENCE

Measure Called Pork of Kind Inexcusable in War Times; Canals to Be Acquired

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Carrying an appropriation of \$27,954,000 the annual rivers and harbors bill was passed by the senate late today, 50 to 11.

Although many senators had attacked the measure as pork barrel legislation, the only negative votes were cast by Senators Borah, Brady, Kenyon, LaFollette, Smith of Michigan, and Smoot, Republicans; and Ashurst, Gore, King, Pomerene and Shafroth, Democrats.

The measure, which passed the house June 27, now goes to conference. As passed by the senate, it authorizes the government to enter into negotiations for acquisition of the Cape Cod and Chesapeake and Delaware canals, either by direct purchase or by condemnation proceedings, and provides for the establishment of a federal waterways commission, consisting of seven members.

The bill was passed after four days of debate, most of the time being occupied by the opponents of the measure.

Numerous amendments introduced principally by the bill's opponents were rejected shortly before the final vote was taken. Senator Curtis' amendment, providing that no money should be expended except where absolutely necessary during the war, was defeated.

Without a record vote the senate rejected Senator Shafroth's amendment, providing that no appropriations should be available except in the event that states, counties, cities and corporations affected by the project should pay one-third of the amount appropriated.

The waterways commission amendment was a committee proposal. It provides that at least one member shall be an army engineer and one a hydraulic engineer. Each member will receive a salary of \$7,500 per year.

FORMATION OF NEW SHIP BOARD PROCEEDS

PRESIDENT ACCEPTS RESIGNATION OF THEODORE BRENT

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Reorganization of the shipping board proceeded rapidly today. The resignation of Theodore Brent, vice chairman of the board, was accepted by President Wilson and Edward N. Hurley of Chicago was sworn in as a member to succeed William Denman, forced out by the President.

Tomorrow the board will elect Mr. Hurley chairman of the board's ship building corporation, and the board of directors will name Rear Admiral Capps to succeed Major General Goethals as the corporation's general manager. Admiral Capps spent an hour today conferring with Mr. Hurley and Mr. Denman and later saw General Goethals.

Acceptance of Mr. Brent's resignation was announced at the offices of the shipping board. At the White House it was said no one had been selected to take his place, but the President, it is said, is considering nominating a Republican. That, it is said, would silence any opposition to the appointment of Bainbridge Colby.

General Goethals declined today to confirm a report that he will go to France as a member of the engineers.

FOOD SHORTAGE REPORTS FALSE

State Legislative Committee Informed Hoarding Sent Prices Soaring.

New York, July 26.—Unfounded reports of a food shortage and the consequent hoarding of supplies by consumers were given to a legislative committee today as causes for price advances. The committee is gathering material for legislation to be effected at a special session of the state legislature.

"There never has been a food shortage," said Walter B. Timms of the Wholesale Grocers' association, who charged that such reports were baseless. "Consumers became panic stricken, bought large quantities of non-perishables, and of course prices went up."

1,500 CHINESE OFFER SERVICES.

New York, July 26.—Military service of 1,500 Chinese natives of China and American born sons of Chinese parents were offered the United States today by Tien Tow Liu a student of Columbia university in a letter to President Wilson. Under Tien's direction 300 Chinese in this city have been drilling three months.

sal service in time of war for every man and woman in the country, in whatever position that man or woman can do most effective work. This is the only democratic system."

WAR BUDGET MAY BE TEN BILLION

War Department Has a Deficiency Nearly Six Billion

DEBATE TAX METHODS

Plans Are to Levy Heavier on Excess Profits and Go Easy on Incomes; May Issue 4% Bonds

Washington, D. C., July 26.—The new war budget, to carry the government through to next July and to cover additional credit to the allies, promises now to far exceed eight billion or ten billion dollars.

War department estimates sent to congress today called for new appropriations of \$5,278,636,000 for that branch of the military establishment alone. Estimates totaling \$1,000,000,000 more are expected tomorrow when the other departments send in their needs.

As soon as the departmental reports are in, the appropriation committees of congress will go to work on an immediate budget which probably will total \$7,000,000,000. Meantime the senate committee, which has the war tax bill in charge, will meet tomorrow to determine what part of the whole shall be raised by taxation and on whom the levy shall fall.

The gross estimate submitted by the war department today, totaled \$5,917,878,247, but that covered all existing and expected deficiencies in the department funds, including upward of \$540,000,000 already appropriated for the aviation program. This latter item will not be included in the budget, but congress will have to provide revenues to meet it, since it was not on the ledger when the war tax measure was framed.

Committee sentiment tonight seemed to be in favor of increasing the \$1,670,670,000 war tax bill only to about \$2,000,000,000 with authorization both for a new bond issue possibly at a higher interest rate and in serial form and for insurance of treasury certificates of indebtedness.

Secretary McAdoo is said to favor a much larger levy of taxes, and a few committee men, favor increasing the bill total by \$1,000,000,000.

Whether the interest rates on the new bonds shall be increased also is causing much discussion. Some committee leaders fear it may be necessary to allow 4 per cent. Such issuance would also give 4 per cent on the Liberty bond issue. There is a strong sentiment that the new bonds shall be in serial form, instead of running for 20 years.

As to the sources of the new tax sentiment in the committee apparently is tending toward securing the bulk of the increase from war excess profits.

Chairman Simmons said tonight that while the present year's appropriations already total \$9,226,000,000, it is estimated that only about \$5,000,000,000 of that will be spent during the present fiscal year.

The largest single item in the department estimate is \$2,468,613,000 for the armament of fortifications.

TO TELL SCHOLARS WHY AMERICA IS AT WAR

EDUCATORS WANT TO GIVE THEM CONCISE EXPOSITION

New York, July 26.—Observance in schools through the country of a patriotic day, the date of which President Wilson will be asked to fix, on which a clear, concise exposition of the causes of the war would be given, was urged in a resolution adopted here today by educators from many parts of the country. The meeting was held in co-operation with the American Security League's campaign to arouse the people to the meaning of the war.

Announcement was made that the league's campaign in New York state will begin September 15 when ten teams, consisting of four speakers each will start on a tour which will take them virtually to every city, town and hamlet in the state. Representatives from the other states have pledged themselves to take up similar work in their states.

SON SAYS COCCHI WAS IN CELLAR

Strongest Evidence Yet Uncartied Is That of Nine-Year-Old.

New York, July 26.—The strongest evidence yet presented to show that Alfredo Cocchi, had accomplices in the murder of Ruth Cruger, was given today by Cocchi's nine-year-old son, Arthur, who said he had heard his father and one or two other men talking in the cellar. This was the day of Miss Cruger's disappearance.

"Papa was not in the shop when I got there," said Arthur, "but through the hole in the floor where the heat comes up, I heard him and other men talking in the cellar. I started to go down, but papa came to the stairs and told me not to."

COLONIES FOR DEPENDENTS.

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Senator Curtis introduced a bill today for the establishment of rural colonies for dependent families of soldiers.

MISSION ARRIVES TO GET FOOD FOR NORWAY

DR. NANSEN, ITS HEAD, DENIES GERMANY IS SUPPLIED

An Atlantic port, July 26.—An official food commission made up of seven prominent Norwegians and headed by Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Arctic explorer, recently named by their government to arrange with the United States a working agreement for the importation of needed foodstuffs arrived here today on a Danish steamship from Copenhagen.

The commission hopes to arrange an agreement with this country similar to the one now in effect between Norway and Great Britain.

Dr. Nansen, in an interview, was emphatic in his assertion that Norway is not providing Germany or the Central Powers with grain or fats. About the only commodity that is sold to Germany is fish and that in a quantity much less than is sold to the entente powers.

"The situation in Norway with respect to grain and fats threatens to become serious," Dr. Nansen said. "We are required to import approximately two-thirds of our normal consumption of grains and more than one-half of our fats. We have been depending upon the United States to supply us with these commodities and if an embargo were to be put into effect it would make the situation become serious."

Dr. Nansen confirmed previous reports that Norway has lost through the submarine warfare approximately 50 per cent of her merchant fleet, or about \$60,000 tons.

Reports reaching here indicate that the American government's refusal to grant any export licenses at present for goods destined for north European neutrals has resulted in no retrenchment of trade operations between those countries and Germany. Exports are going to Germany in the same quantity as before the embargo was declared.

AMERICAN STAFF DINED.

Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic, July 26.—The chief of the Argentine naval division, Rear Admiral Martin, gave a banquet today aboard the cruiser Buenos Ayres to Admiral Caproni, commanding the American squadron and his staff officers.

GERMAN SPIES WORK IN RUSSIA

So Say Women Just Returned After Living in Petrograd Ten Years.

New York, July 26.—It is true that German agents under a guise of socialist and anarchist speakers have been openly engaged in spreading revolts against the Republican government of Russia and Germany money is being freely used to encourage discontent and dissatisfaction with the conduct of the war, according to Mrs. Alexander Lodyguine, wife of a former New York construction engineer, who arrived here today after spending ten years in Petrograd where her husband is employed. She asserted that:

"We are confident, however, that Premier Kerensky will bring about order out of the chaos. He is a wonderful man and the best people of Russia are ready to follow and obey him. There will be no separate peace. I am sure Russia will be ready to stand on the side of democracy."

PROHIBITION MAY YET BE DECIDED BY STATES

MOVE IN SENATE FOR AMENDING NATIONAL CONSTITUTION

Washington, D. C., July 26.—National prohibition will be voted on by the senate next Wednesday. By unanimous consent it was agreed tonight to take up Monday Senator Sheppard's resolution for a national prohibition amendment to the constitution and to dispose of it by Wednesday night.

Poes of prohibition consented to the vote in order to clear the resolution from the calendar, transmit it to the house, and perhaps shift further action from congress to the states. They secured an amendment requiring the states to act within six years on the new sections to the constitution.

The vote in the senate probably will be extremely close. Adoption would require two-thirds of the senators present. Senator Sheppard predicted tonight an affirmative vote of 65 to 66, just enough to approve the resolution which would then go to the house subject to a similar two-thirds vote.

The resolution provides that: "The manufacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors, the importation thereof into or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territories subject to the jurisdiction thereof are hereby prohibited. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation." Senator Penrose, who has objected to efforts to produce a vote, said tonight that he would vote and work against the measure.

RACE RIOTS BEGUN IN PENNSYLVANIA

NATIONAL GUARD CALLED OUT TO HELP QUELL UPRISING

Chester, Pa., July 26.—Two men, a white man and a negro, were killed in race riots which broke out anew here tonight after a day of comparative quiet. About 20 others were injured. Scores of persons were arrested and the authorities stated they had the situation under control.

The rioting which started last night as a result of the killing of a young white man by negroes last Tuesday reached its climax tonight when a mob of several hundred whites invaded the negro section. Negroes who ventured to retard their progress were beaten down with clubs.

One of tonight's victims was Joseph McCann, white, who is said to have been a leader of the mob. Several negroes were dragged from street cars and beaten into insensibility. One was fatally shot. Scores of shots were fired by the negroes from the windows of their homes.

Shortly after McCann was killed a squad of National Guardsmen was rushed to the scene. Augmented by the police they drove the crowds away. Mayor McDowell announced at midnight that he had the situation under control.

Riots Also in Ohio.

Youngstown, Ohio, July 26.—Soldiers of the Tenth regiment, Ohio National Guard, were patrolling the downtown district of Youngstown tonight as a precaution against renewal of race rioting which broke out here this afternoon between 30 guardsmen and 30 or more negroes. The militiamen say the trouble was caused by insulting remarks directed at them by the negroes.

CLOUDBURST STOPS TRAFFIC.

Rochester, July 26.—A cloudburst in the Cohocton valley between Bath and Savona this afternoon washed out half a mile of Erie railroad tracks and held up traffic on the Rochester division of the road. Work crews from Avon were set to work at once to rebuild the damaged tracks and Erie trains were detained over the Lackawanna tracks.

NEW YORK NEEDS ONLY 31 MEN.

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Regular army recruiting brought in 2,370 men today. New York with 237 men, secured during the day, needs only 31 to fill its quota of 18,226. A total of 161,377 have been enrolled since April 1, leaving the army only about 22,000 short of war strength.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

REDS WALLOP RIXEY.

His Hit Delivery Any Old Time Until Oeschger Comes to His Rescue.
Cincinnati, Ohio, July 26.—The local hit Rixey almost at will today and had the game won before Oeschger relieved him, the score being 5 to 2.
R H E
Philadelphia 000001100—2 9 2
Cincinnati .012000011x—5 11 0
Batteries—Rixey, Oeschger, Fittery and Burns; Seneider and Clark, Wingo.

BREAK EVEN WITH PIRATES.

Pittsburgh Gathers First Game, 4 to 1, Brooklyn the Second, 5 to 1.
Pittsburgh, Pa., July 26.—Pittsburgh and Brooklyn split today's double header, Pittsburgh winning the first game, 4 to 1, and Brooklyn the second, 5 to 1.
First game.
Brooklyn .0000100000—1 8 1
Pittsburgh .000010003x—4 7 0
Batteries—Pfeffer and Myers; Carlson and Fischer.
Second game.
Brooklyn .0000101003—5 10 2
Pittsburgh .1000000000—1 8 0
Batteries—Cadore and M. Wheat; Jacobs and Schmidt.

TAKE ONE FROM GIANTS.

Fitcher Vaughn Gives Only Scattered Hits, Teseau Hits Freely.
Chicago, Ill., July 26.—Vaughn kept New York's hits scattered today, while Chicago bunched hits off Teseau, winning 7 to 1.
New York .0000010000—1 8 4
Chicago .100040200x—7 8 1
Batteries—Teseau and Raridan; Vaughn and Gilhofer.

ST. LOUIS TRIMS THE BRAVES.

Doak Gives Two Hits; Score 2 to 0; Ball Autographed By Wilson Sold.
St. Louis, Mo., July 26.—Doak held Boston to two hits today and St. Louis won, 2 to 0. The proceeds of the game went to a fund for the State Guardsmen. A baseball, autographed by President Wilson brought \$151 at auction.
Boston .0000000000—0 2 0
St. Louis .000010001x—2 4 1
Batteries—Barnes and Traggess; Doak and Goetzels.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

RED SOX GOBBLE TWO GAMES.

Twice Beat St. Louis Browns—Lavan Hit in Ribs Throws Bat at Ruth.
Boston, Mass., July 26.—Boston won two games from St. Louis today, 11 to 8 and 8 to 3. In the first game Lavan was hit in the ribs by a pitched ball and throw his bat at Ruth. Umpire Dineen ran between the two players. There was no serious damage done.
First game—
St. Louis .000001010—2 10 7
Boston .11103302x—11 13 0
Batteries—Koob, Martin and Hae; Ruth and Agnew.
Second game—
St. Louis .200000100—3 8 0
Boston .33001001x—8 14 0
Batteries—Sothern, Rogers and Seibold; Foster and Agnew.

DOUBLE AT WASHINGTON.

Cleveland and Senators Split, Former Takes First, Latter Second Game.
Washington, D. C., July 26.—Cleveland and Washington split a double header today, the locals winning the first game, 2 to 1, and dropping the second, 5 to 2.
First game—
Cleveland .0000010000—1 3 1
Washington .200000000x—2 5 3
Batteries—Dagby and Hulings; Dumont, Ayres and Ainsmith.
Second game—
Cleveland .00000000—5 4 1
Washington .20000—2 4 1
Called, rain.
Batteries—Klepper and DeBarry; Harper, Shore and Henry.

IF BACK HURTS
BEGIN ON SALTS

**Flush the Kidneys at once when Back-
ache or Bladder bothers—Meat
forms uric acid.**

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid, which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headache, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of stinging, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate their activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful after-dinner drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

TIGERS SPLIT WITH ATHLETICS.

Detroit Takes First Game, 6 to 2, Philadelphia the Second, 4 to 2.
Philadelphia, Pa., July 26.—Detroit broke even with Philadelphia today the former winning the first game, 6 to 2, and Philadelphia the second, 4 to 2.
First game—
R H E
Detroit .100102020—6 8 0
Philadelphia 010001000—2 7 2
Batteries—James and Stanage; Seibold and Haley.
Second game—
Detroit .000200000—2 8 1
Philadelphia 20000101x—4 7 4
Batteries—Mitchell and Stanage; Noyes, J. Bush and Meyer.

YANKS WIN IN 14 INNINGS.

Sensational Game Ends When Baker Hits Sacrifice Fly, Scoring Brown.
New York, July 26.—New York defeated Chicago in a sensational 14-inning game today, 6 to 5. Baker's sacrifice fly brought in Bowman with the winning run.
Chicago—
04000100000000—5 12 0
New York—
40000100000001—6 13 3
Batteries—Benz, Danforth, Williams and Schalk; Gullop, Shaly and Nunnemaker, Walters.

STATE LEAGUE

At Wilkes-Barre— R H E
Wilkes-Barre 200100000—3 7 2
Scranton .0000100000—1 8 2
Batteries—Kutz and Snyder; Buckles and Brannon.
At Binghamton— R H E
Reading .0000000001—1 5 1
Binghamton 20000000x—2 6 0
Batteries—Devany and Brleger; Frook and Murphy.
At Syracuse— R H E
Elmira .002000000—2 6 6
Syracuse .30101110x—7 7 2
Batteries—Wilhem and Fisher; Friel and Kennich.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

First game— R H E
Toronto .000000000—7 17 3
Newark .000000000—9 14 2
Second game— R H E
Toronto .000000000—3 10 3
Newark .000000000—8 13 2
First game— R H E
Rochester .000000000—0 7 1
Providence .000000000—2 5 1
Second game— R H E
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Providence .000000000—0 7 4
Buffalo .000000000—2 8 3
Baltimore .000000000—12 16 1
Montreal .000000000—5 9 1
Richmond .000000000—1 5 1

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Milwaukee, 2; Indianapolis, 1.
St. Paul, 5; Columbus, 5.
Minneapolis, 3; Louisville, 2.
Kansas City, 5; Toledo, 2.

STANDINGS OF CLUBS.

National League.			
	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	63	38	.564
Cincinnati	63	43	.552
St. Louis	49	40	.551
Philadelphia	42	38	.525
Chicago	45	46	.495
Brooklyn	40	45	.471
Boston	38	48	.429
Pittsburgh	29	59	.330

American League.			
	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	60	33	.645
Boston	55	35	.611
Cleveland	50	44	.532
Detroit	47	45	.511
New York	45	44	.506
Washington	37	53	.411
Philadelphia	34	52	.395
St. Louis	36	53	.353

State League.			
	W.	L.	P.C.
Syracuse	11	3	.756
Wilkes-Barre	11	6	.658
Scranton	8	8	.500
Elmira	8	8	.500
Binghamton	6	8	.429
Reading	2	14	.125

Is This Country Free?
We have been reprimanded by the Public Mind for allowing a contributor to pervert Tom Moore's famous lines into the following version:
You may break, you may ruin the vase
If you will.
But the scent of the flowers will hang
Round it still.
It is pointed out that the poet said "shatter" instead of "ruin" and "roses" instead of "flowers." On that point there will be no quibbling. What we want to know is whether the Public Mind is going to raise a fuss with this department every time it misquotes Thomas Moore and let other misquotations go unnoticed. And if so why? Who is Thomas Moore, that he should not be misquoted, same as Shakespeare, Byron, Burns and the rest?—Kansas City Star.

A Link With Primitive Times.
All ceremonial maces at court, in parliament, of learned societies and municipal bodies, field marshals' batons, gold and silver sticks, etc., are descended from the heavy fighting sticks and clubs of primitive savages. The chiefs always had the best carved clubs, which were the symbols of prowess and authority. The Australian boomerang and the Irish shillelagh are both maces.—London Standard.

In the Cause of Freedom.
"I told the lawyer I wanted an absolute divorce," said Mrs. Flightry.
"And what did he say?"
"He told me he was an old friend of my husband and as a favor to him he would take the case."

VICTIMS OF A GERMAN AIR RAID



AERO VICTIMS

Women victims of a recent German aeroplane raid over London on their way to a hospital in an automobile loaned by a wealthy social leader. Most of the victims of these air raids have been women and children.

EARTH ROAD MAINTENANCE.

A Never Ending Job and Has to Be Done Over and Over.

Earth road maintenance now is and will continue for some years to be the real road problem of Kansas, since it is not likely that more than a very small per cent of the highways will be paved in this generation, asserts W. S. Gearhart, professor of highway engineering in the Kansas State Agricultural college and state highway engineer.

"Practically all the work done on an earth road, except reduction of grades, correction of horizontal alignment, building of drainage structures and elimination of railway grade crossings, is temporary and should properly be considered maintenance," said Mr. Gearhart.
"Doing permanent work is a comparatively easy matter, for when once it is done correctly it will last for a number of years. The maintenance of an earth road, however, is a never ending job. It is like milking the cows and doing other chores, for the builder knows that the work of maintenance will have to be done over and over again and can never feel that it is in any sense permanent."

"For this reason the earth road has a bad reputation. The trouble is not so



AN EARTH ROAD.

much with the material of which the road is composed as with our system or lack of system of management. Other types of roads, when treated as we treat the earth roads, are much more expensive and serve the traveling public little, if any, better. The vast improvement that can be made on our present earth roads by intelligent direction in their construction and maintenance is little realized by the public, and the serviceability of a properly maintained earth road is not appreciated when compared with other types of roads as to cost of construction.
"Successful construction and maintenance of any kind of a road depend upon the recognition by the public and the builders of a few fixed and fundamental requirements.
"One practical, well paid road builder should be made responsible for the upkeep of a certain section of road and should be employed throughout the year, his tenure of office being made dependent entirely upon the character of services rendered. The graded portion of the road should be elevated and crowned so that the water from every section of the road surface will flow into the side ditches."

Birds Weigh Themselves.
An ingenious naturalist has been making the tomtits record their weight. In order to obtain the food which he places for them they have to alight upon what appears to be a twig, but is in reality the beam of a tiny scale. As they rest upon it so they register their weight, which averages about one-third of an ounce per bird—forty-eight tomtits to the pound!—Little Paper, London.

Frequent Colds in the Head.
Recent investigations show that disease of the sinuses may be suspected when persons suffer from recurrent headaches and neuralgia incident to a cold in the head. An X ray plate of the sinuses is advised, and autogenous vaccine, say the experts, should be used in the treatment.—Exchange.

YOUNG WORKER'S
IMPURE BLOOD
BLOTCHES GONE

Many Johnson Factory Comrades Advised Him to Take Tanlac

"For the last five years my son, Asel Lee, has been suffering with 'impure blood,' said Charles L. Lee of 24 Willard street, Birmingham. This blood condition caused his face to break out," Mr. Lee continued. "He was so nervous it caused his sleep to be broken and we were much worried."
"He tried many medicines that failed to help him. He is 20 years old and works in the Johnson shoe factory, where 80 many people work who have taken Tanlac and who advised him to start taking it."
"Now he has finished his second bottle and when I left the house this morning he said, 'Don't forget Tanlac today, so I am here for more and to tell you what Tanlac has done for him so that others can get the same benefit.'"
"Tanlac has braced my son up in great shape. He is no longer bothered with the impure blood that caused his face to break out. His nerves are strong and he sleeps through the night without waking up. His appetite is fine and stomach disorders have ended. I am glad to recommend this new medicine, Tanlac."

IS SINGING A LOST ART?

For the People at Large It Certainly Is, Says This Critic.

Singing, as far as most people are concerned, is a lost art. Thousands attend operas, recitals and musical comedies; tens of thousands wind up phonographs. But, as for singing themselves informally at their work or play, they have forgotten how. In times past people of all ranks sang together as a matter of course. Sailors sang at their work; peasants, shepherds, cowboys, all had their favorite and appropriate songs. The songs of children at games, the lullabies of mothers, are in the collected ballads and folklore of many peoples.

"The pastimes and labors of the husbandman and the shepherd," says Andrew Lang, "were long ago a kind of natural opera. Each task had its own song; plowing, seeding, harvest, burial, all had their appropriate ballads or dirges. The whole soul of the peasant class breathes in its burdens as the great sea resounds in the shell cast up on the shore."
Nowadays the whirl of machinery makes all the noise. The workers in mills might find it unsatisfying to sing at their work, but it is doubtful if they would sing even if their voices could be heard, while singing in an office or store would pretty surely be stopped by the "boss" or the police. Thousands congregate every night in the silence of moving picture theaters, and even in the churches where singing by the congregation used to be customary the attendants now usually listen in silence to a paid singer.

Singing in this age is largely confined to the professional performer, drunken men and phonographs.—Indianapolis News.

Watch Your Every Act.
The foot act of today goes to make the regret of tomorrow. And all along the path that finally leads to the cemetery we encounter more of them than telephone posts.—Florida Times-Union.

Advantages of Travel.
All travel has its advantages. If the passenger visits better countries he may learn to improve his own, and if fortunes carries him to worse he may learn to enjoy his own.—Johnson.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

New York Markets.

New York, July 26.—All records for stock market dullness thus far this summer were broken today, dealings barely exceeding 300,000 shares. Of this total stocks and the more prominent war issues and shippings supplied over two-thirds.
Some of the usual market leaders remained unquoted throughout the session, rails being especially ignored. The attendance of brokers on the exchange was in keeping with the day's meaningless operations. The action of the St. Paul directors in reducing the semi-annual dividend from 2½ to 2 per cent did not become known until almost the close of the day. The cut occasioned no surprise.

St. Paul fell to 68, an extreme decline of 1½ points on the news, but immediately rallied, scoring a slight net gain. More than ordinary interest attaches to the decision of the St. Paul board, however, because of the prominence of the dominant interest and the probable effect on other roads.

Other happenings of the day, such as the sudden advance in refined copper, higher rates for rubies, and continuance on a large scale of the gold export to Japan and Spain, attracted little more than passing attention.
Movements of stock, except in motors, shipping and a few speculative issues, whose recessions ran from 1½ to almost 4 points, were extremely narrow. United States Steel was a case in point, fluctuating between 122 and 121½, closing at 121½, a gain of three-eighths of a point.

Bonds were irregular, large blocks of the Liberty issue changing hands at 99.40 to 99.47. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$2,960,000.
United States bonds were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.
Butter—Unsettled; receipts, 6,836; creamery, higher than extras, 39½¢; 40; creamery extras, 32 score, 39; extras, 37½¢; 38½¢; seconds, 36¢; 37½¢.
Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 13,797; fresh gathered extras, 38¢; extra firsts, 36¢; 37½¢; firsts, 33¢; 35; seconds, 29¢; 32; state and nearby western henner whites, fine to fancy, 44¢; 45; do. browns, 40¢; 42.
Cheese—Firm; receipts, 2,543; state fresh specials, 21½¢; 22; do average run, 21½¢.
Poultry—Dressed, dull; chickens, 18¢; 20; fowls, 15¢; 25; turkeys, 18¢; 32.

New York Meats.
Beef—Receipts, 725; no trading.
Calves—Receipts, 299; steady; veals, \$15; western calves, \$7.62½.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,677; firm; sheep, \$6.50; 10; lambs, \$13¢; 16.25.
Hogs—Receipts, 1,514; no trading.

ONEONTA MARKET.

Prices Paid Producers.
Butter, fresh dairy 38
Butter, creamery 38@39
Eggs, fresh laid, dozen 25
Cheese, lb. 25
Live poultry 18
Spring chickens, broilers 20
Dressed pork 18
Dressed beef 12@13
Veal, grain fed 12@13
Veal, sweet milk calves 16
Grain and Feeds.
(Prices Charged at Retail).
Salt, barrel \$2.10
Corn \$3.32
Oats \$1.01
Corn meal, cwt. \$1.19
Spring wheat middlings \$2.30
Hominy \$3.23

Hides.
(Quoted by Miller Hides Co.)
Green hides 17
Bull Hides over 60 lbs. .. 14
Horse hides \$50.00
Dairy skins \$1.50 to 2.00
Veal skins \$2.25 to 4.50
Wool 60

Too Young to Work.
Hundreds of boys who gave false ages to get work in New England factories lost jobs because too young to get registration certificates required by employers.

To Keep Slackers Out.
Bills are now in congress to bar forever from this country men who leave to avoid military service.

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Nestled between two high precipices in California is a deep, deep ravine. The only means of connection between the high hills on either side is a very narrow foot-bridge which has no railings along the side. In the de luxe edition of the Vitaphone production, "Captain Alvarez," starring versatile Edith Storey, however, the hero of the story tears across this bridge at a terrific speed on the back of a horse who is not even broken to the saddle. One misstep would have—well come and see for yourself and enjoy the many thrills.

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Violet Mersereau

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

SEVERE WIND STORM TUESDAY.

Two Stained Glass Windows Broken in Methodist Episcopal Church.

Millford, July 26. — This village and vicinity was visited Tuesday afternoon by a heavy wind and rain storm, which did considerable damage. A large tree on the north side of the Methodist Episcopal church was blown over, breaking out two stained glass windows. This was a most unfortunate mishap, as the windows had only just been repaired at a great expense. The streets were strewn with dead branches from the trees and several flower boxes and potted plants on porches were blown over. At Edson Corners the water was so high that it overflowed the banks of the streams, running over the roadway and washing out great channels in the meadows.

Union Service Sunday.

A union service of the Methodist Episcopal and Presbyterian churches will be held on the Methodist church lawn Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, if the weather is favorable. If stormy the service will be held in the church at 7:30 o'clock.

Birth.

Born, Sunday, July 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fink, a son, Ward Henry.

Appointed Agent for Surety Company.

William C. McRorie has accepted the local agency for the National Surety company of New York. The appointment permits Mr. McRorie with the authority of the United States government ratings to write single bonds up to \$327,000, this being the largest which can be executed by any one company in the United States.

Secures Position at Cooperstown.

Lee Winne and H. N. Stackpole have secured excellent positions with the International Milk Products company at Cooperstown and commenced their duties last week. Their families will reside in this village for the present.

Motor Here from Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper of Topeka, Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison of Oklahoma are visiting relatives in town for a few days. The trip was made by automobile and a

PORTLANDVILLE POINTERS.

Portlandville, July 26. — Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wellman returned Tuesday from a two weeks' auto trip to Vermont. They report a trip devoid of accident and full of pleasure. — Preparations are being made by Town Supervisor and of Highways Woodcock to macadamize the road between the river bridge and the railroad station. This is a much needed improvement. — McLauri Brothers shipped a car of fancy cattle to Massachusetts Tuesday. Frank Grant going in charge. — E. VanDeverker has severed his connection with Mr. DeLong and entered the employ of the International Milk Products company at Cooperstown. — The Red Cross held an ice cream sale Saturday evening on the lawn of Mr. DeLong. The proceeds were over \$23. Six gallons were donated by the International Milk Products company, for which thanks are extended. — Miss Caroline Bennett of Schenectady, who recently graduated from the State college for teachers at Albany, is visiting Miss Theo Pratt. — Mr. and Mrs. George Richards of Decatur are visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. C. Burdick.

MIDDLEFIELD CENTER.

Middlefield Center, July 26. — The church realized about \$8 from the annual ice cream sale. — Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Lynn, Mass., are visiting their son, Herbert Howard. — Mrs. William Platter of Troy visited Miss Hilda Snyder the last of the week. — Stanley Skilkin of Cooperstown spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Skilkin. — Miss Hazel Toller left for Phoenix Mills on Tuesday to visit awhile. — Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Blencoe and daughter, of Schenectady, have been visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Sunday Services at Maryland.

Maryland, July 26. — Rev. James A. Prosser will preach Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Christian church. Mr. Prosser is a candidate. It is desired that all who are interested will attend.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

ANDRUS-SMITH WEDDINGS.

Well Known Young People United by Impressive Church Ceremony.

Stamford, July 26. — One of the most impressive and beautiful wedding ceremonies that has been solemnized in Stamford, occurred on Wednesday evening at the Presbyterian church, when Miss Elizabeth K. Andrus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Andrus of Stamford, was united in marriage to Millard Smith of Cannonsville.

The decorations of the church were of roses and evergreens and the arrangement of the flowers was particularly tasteful. Promptly at 7 o'clock, the bridal procession started down the center aisle of the church to the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding March, played by Mrs. W. H. Wheeler, at the organ.

On reaching the altar, they were met by the groom and best man, Warren Smith, brother of the groom, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Jamieson, pastor of the Park Avenue Methodist Episcopal church of New York city, assisted by the bride's pastor, Rev. Walter D. Cavert, of the Presbyterian church of Stamford.

Following the ceremony the reception to the newly married couple was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrus where congratulations and best wishes were freely offered to the happy pair.

Before the reception terminated, the bridal couple departed for some point unascertained by the guests for a wedding trip, with the usual send off.

The bride is one of Stamford's best known ladies and has hosts of friends wherever she is known. She is a graduate of Stamford seminary and of

Vassar college and has always been prominent in social and church affairs.

The groom is a prominent business man of Cannonsville and is engaged in an extensive way in farming.

The many presents given by the friends of the couple were valuable tokens of their friendship and regard. The best wishes of all go with them.

Motorcycle Traffic Officer.

The village board has purchased for the use of the traffic officer a motorcycle. There has been among a good many motorists a steady disregard for the observation of the rules of the village and it is determined that a safe rate of speed must be maintained in the village streets, and that the common rules of the road be enforced.

DELHI DAY BY DAY.

Chautauqua Closes After Successful Sessions—Coming Next Year.

Delhi, July 26. — Last evening marked the close of the first Chautauqua in Delhi. It has been demonstrated that one can exist here and be self supporting. Another was arranged for next season. The entertainment last evening was J. H. Balmer and the Kafir singing boys from Kafirland, in the heart of Africa. They appeared in native costumes and sang native songs. The audience was enthusiastic over the performance.

The Selective Draft.

A number of those drawn have been here to consult the exemption board and ascertain when they will be called for examination.

A Good Appointment.

Governor Whitman has appointed on the appeal board for the northern district of New York, embracing 23 counties, ten citizens from various parts of the district, among them being Arthur C. Wyer of this village. Mr. Wyer is the genial and scholarly editor of the Delaware Express. The office is honorary and not at all lucrative.

TERRIFIC SHOWER.

Does Much Damage to Crops in Delaware County.

North Kortright, July 26. — A terrific thunder storm, accompanied by wind and culminating in a cloud burst, struck this vicinity Tuesday afternoon, following two days of extreme heat. The cloud burst occurred in the direction of North Harpersfield and in less than half an hour the stream that flows through this village became a raging river. Fences were torn away, and the meadow lands of Frank Wickham, Frank Smith, F. F. VanDeusen, A. M. Henderson, Thomas McAuley, and others were flooded, destroying acres of uncut grass, which is now unfit for feed. A. M. Henderson's field of potatoes was entirely submerged. Many gardens were ruined.

At Frank Wickham's, in Harpersfield, the little stream that flows past his house deluged the place, depositing loads of stone and debris on the porch of the house. The front door was forced open by the torrent and the lower rooms flooded, injuring carpets and furniture.

At Thomas McAuley's, conditions were still worse. His entire dairy of 60 or 70 cows, which had crossed the line fence, were marooned on little

islands, created by the swollen stream, and could not be reached for milking that night.

The chimney of the church was either struck by lightning or blown from the building. A large elm tree at W. T. MacLauri's was splintered. The damage from the storm will amount to hundreds of dollars.

Sheffield Creamery Refuses Milk.

Millard Briggs, manager of the Sheffield creamery at West Harpersfield, has been notified by the company not to receive any "night milk" that is not cooled to at least 60 degrees. In consequence, considerable milk has been refused at the plant, it being almost impossible this extremely hot weather for all farmers to meet the conditions. A few men would not consent to let the morning milk go unless all was taken and are manufacturing butter at their homes.

Exchange Pulpits.

Rev. R. R. Irwin will preach in the Gould Memorial church next Sunday, exchanging with Rev. William Sinclair, pastor of that congregation.

Rushing Haying.

Now that the weather is more favorable for haying, the harvest is being hastened as fast as possible, though the scarcity of help is a serious hindrance. Some hay that was cut a week or more ago has rotted on the ground and is fit only for bedding.

SUDDEN DEATH AT HOBART.

Michael Farrell, a Life Long Resident. Expires at Niece's Home.

Hobart, July 26. — Michael Farrell, a life long resident of this place, died last night at the home of his niece, Mrs. J. R. Stevenson. He had not been in good health for some time, but had been about the house until yesterday afternoon, when Dr. Hart, his attending physician, called and advised him to conserve his strength by remaining in bed as the heat was affecting him considerably.

He was 76 years old and unmarried and had made his home for several years with Mrs. Stevenson. His only surviving relative beside nieces and nephews is a sister, Mrs. Charles Herring of Delhi.

The funeral services will be held at his late home tomorrow, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the Rev. V. P. Backora officiating. Burial in Locust Hill cemetery.

Douglass Bible Class Meeting.

The Douglass Bible class will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Miss Ethel Rich.

Personal News Notes.

Mrs. Smith D. Niver and Master Homer Knapp returned last night after a visit in Glasgow and North Adams. A number of Hobart people attended the dance in Grand Gorge last evening. — F. W. Butler, Mrs. Martin Stunhook and son of Newark, N. J., have been stopping at Butler homestead. They are making a tour of New York state.

SIDNEY CENTER HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Caroline E. Huyck Dies Saturday at Home of Nephew.

Sidney Center, July 26. — Mrs. Caroline E. Huyck died at the home of her nephew, Bert Archer, Saturday, at the age of 69 years. She was the widow of the late Theron Huyck, who died about 16 years ago and is survived by no near relatives. Two nephews, Fred Archer of Oneonta and Bert, who resides on Lawton hill survive. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon, Rev. V. G. Shaffer officiating. Burial was in Highland cemetery.

Must Report for Duty.

Dr. Harry G. Hodges, who recently enlisted in the officers' reserve corps,

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received orders last week to report for duty at Hoboken and left Saturday morning. News received from him since his arrival stated that he did not know how long he would remain there before embarking for France.

Auto Accident Sunday.

An automobile accident occurred near the home of Ray VanTassle Sunday morning about 5 o'clock, when a Maxwell car with five young men from Walton on their way home from Oneonta, ran up the bank on the left side of the road for a considerable distance, the driver losing control of the car through the running off of the left front wheel. The front axle was badly bent and the car was otherwise damaged, but no one was injured. After two hours delay while the car was being temporarily repaired the party proceeded on its way to Walton.

Recent Accidents.

Leland Young, who with his father, was assisting Albert Young with his haying Tuesday morning, met with a rather serious accident. They were unloading hay at the barn when the hay fork gave way and came down, striking the young man in his face, cutting his mouth badly and knocking three front teeth out. He was taken at once to a physician at Unadilla to have the wound dressed.

Rev. S. D. Clarke cut his arm quite badly last Saturday evening. In endeavoring to raise a window which had recently been painted in the parsonage, his elbow went through the window and an ugly wound resulted.

Other Matters.

Maywood outpost, Company C, entertained a number of their friends at a clam bake at the camp last Friday. About 75 invited guests were present, including a number from Walton. — The Red Cross will hold a community sing on the Baptist church lawn next Friday evening. — Dr. Moore of Syracuse will speak at a union service to be held at the Methodist church next Sunday evening in the interests of the Anti-Saloon league. — The Delta Alpha class will be entertained by Mrs. Archie Vandervort and Miss Ruth Vandervort at their home Friday evening.

FRESH FROM FRANKLIN.

Franklin, July 26. — Rev. Yale Lyon of Unadilla preached in St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday evening. — E. S. Parsons has returned to his Franklin home, after spending the winter with friends in New York and Birmingham. — Outcast chapter, No. 257, O. E. S., held a thimble party at the home of Mrs. P. C. Daniels Wednesday afternoon. — The Franklin W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. R. S. Wood Friday. Flower Mission day will be observed and flowers taken to the sick and shut-ins. The meeting will be in charge of the superintendent, Mrs. Wood. — Earl Boyd has employment with the Meridale farms and will drive the auto truck from Meridale to Delhi. He will soon move his family there. — Mrs. B. Jackson, Mrs. A. C. Page and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Page have returned from an extended auto trip through Elmira, Niagara Falls, Toronto and other points of interest. — Rev. Forrest Edwards of Chatham, N. J., is visiting his grandfather for a few days. — Mrs. Charles Verrill has returned to Springfield, Mass., after spending several weeks in Franklin. — Miss Helen Burgess, Mrs. J. C. Bush Jr., Katherine and Janet Bush of East Orange, are with Mrs. J. C. Bush for the summer.

DAVENPORT CENTER DATA.

Davenport Center, July 26. — Miss Ida Lull of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. William Butler and daughter of Hartwood were week-end guests of S. G. Bramley. — Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crandall of Oneonta were guests Sunday of Mrs. Saphronia Livingston at Butts' hotel. — Miss Berdona Fox spent Tuesday with Mrs. W. D. Beardsley of East Meredith. — Mr. and Mrs. Harold Salisbury and family of Sharon Springs were guests of William Fox Sunday.

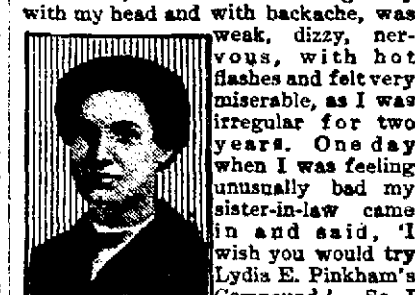
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HOW FAR WILL IT GO?

The New York Tribune of yesterday contained an editorial under the above caption which so thoroughly expresses the sentiments of the rank and file of the people of the United States that it deserves careful perusal by all who have opportunity therefor. For this reason it is herewith reprinted in full, in order that it may at least have a general local publicity.

"Second only in importance to the war itself," says the Tribune, "is the sweeping movement for governmental control of industry which is everywhere gaining headway as a military necessity. Conservative citizens and business men are asking, 'How far is this process of socialization to go? How radical is this spirit of change to become? Where, once the tide has set toward collectivism, is it to stop short of state socialism in some form?'"

"The answer rests largely with the leaders of business themselves or rather with those who seem to see in the present world struggle chiefly an opportunity and pretext for exploiting the consumer. It is time that dealers who are tempted by schemes of getting rich quick at public expense realized that upon their conduct now depend both the nation's future and their own. The public expects from business today something different from the old rules of the game, and if it fails to any great extent to get that something under private management, it will not hesitate long to try public management."

"It is certain that governmental control of business will be extended to the point set by the demands of military efficiency and public welfare during this crisis. Just where that point is to be fixed—whether the changes found necessary for the conduct of the war are to remain permanent, whether they are to grow into a general nation-wide movement against private control of industrial capital—will depend largely upon the spirit shown by those who today have in charge the production and distribution of the necessities of life."

"Public conscience has come to look upon profit grabbing and price manipulating in war time as essentially disloyal and unpatriotic conduct. Let the public once become firmly convinced that our present business system, which has already shown itself inefficient in every allied nation, is also conducive to unpatriotic practices in the hour of national stress, and private management in certain lines of business is doomed. Let the thousands who have denied themselves in order to subscribe to the Liberty Loan feel that any large portion of dealers are trying to cheat the government in the price of such things as coal, steel, munitions or provisions; let consumers and householders, driven to the verge of want by a rise in the price of food, be convinced that their suffering is caused less by the war than by the combined operations of middlemen who are making the war an excuse for 'trust prices'; let those who are to risk their lives and the lives of loved ones at the front once get it into their heads that speculators are growing fat on the fruits of the nation's sacrifices and devotion, and he is singularly short-sighted who cannot see a thorough industrial house cleaning coming (after the war if not before then) in which the innocent may have to suffer along with the guilty. The American public when once aroused is not any too discriminating or temperate."

"The great mass of American citizens are going into this war in good faith; they are in it heart and soul to win; they stand ready to give all to the nation, and for that reason they will not forgive any attempt of greed to weaken their fighting efficiency, or make sport of this war for liberty by turning the nation's sacrifice into a pretext for private gain."

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Yes; Stay at School!

At this time of the year, when many families are taking up the important question of what school the boy or girl shall be sent to, the words of the President to the effect that those below the conscription age and who cannot serve their country in the field should stick at school are timely and worth while. They come after a number of the leading college presidents and principals and headmasters of high schools and preparatory schools have urged on all parents the unwisdom of letting the younger boys be stampeded by the war into leaving school before their time and for a long before the country needs them in any other place than in the schoolroom.—[Philadelphia Ledger.]

Holding Up the Food Bill.

Delay has been the real object of most of the amendments to the original measure made in the senate. The tugging with the liquor amendment was open to that suspicion. The attacks on Mr. Hoover had no other purpose. The compromise amendment providing for a control board of three, instead of a single head, makes for delay. It must have been perfectly well known that the house of representatives would resent this change. As for the war board, it is an afterthought, a sort of drag chain to keep the bill from moving. Even if such

legislation were actually needed, it would be wholly out of place as an amendment to the food bill. It would surely be important enough to stand on its own feet. But the President obviously objects to the measure in any form, and the country will approve the objection of the President.—[New York Times.]

An Interesting Experiment.

West Virginia is prodding up its slackers. Under enacted legislation all its able bodied men of working age must work at something. This is an interesting experiment at compelling state efficiency and one which has its manifest dangers of injustice as well as its manifest benefits. It is a time when the greatest majority of good citizens tolerate slackers with difficulty; it is a time when any state has just cause to refuse to bear the unnecessary burden of idle, lazy and willfully non-self-supporting people.—[Rochester Post-Express.]

When Madison Was President.

Senators' wives have always exerted a lot of influence in Washington. They have always played their roles in the veiled drama of capital city chess playing, in the pushing of some men and some schemes forward, in the detailing of army officers, in the promotion of navy officers, in a hundred and one fields where a word in time might save nine. But in Dolly Madison's day a letter of protesting criticism from a senator's wife to the president of the United States would have been close to lese majesty and this view has not wholly disappeared.—[Brooklyn Eagle.]

No Friends of America.

The avowed aim of the movement for the organization of a so-called People's Council of America is "peace and the preservation of democracy in America." This may sound innocent enough, but it will deceive nobody who recalls that America is now engaged in war and that peace could not be brought about except at the sacrifice of American honor. As for democracy, that is in no danger except from Prussianism. But to this extent the council does not differ from the various organizations which have been formed in this country in the last year or two, some by men resting under the suspicion of disloyalty, and some by well meaning pacifists who were too stupid to see that they were playing directly into the hands of the Germans, however innocent their intentions might have been. The mischievous feature of the new organization is that it represents the biggest attempt yet made to link up together all the labor unions, women's clubs, church bodies, Socialists, etc., into one compact group, appealing particularly to all those anxious to repeal the conscription law "and establish the principle of referendum votes on peace and war questions." The new organization will bear close watching by the government.—[Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.]

The Dictator of Democracy.

"When it comes to dictatorships, everything depends upon the purpose. There may be dictators of democracy as well as dictators of tyranny. The dictator of democracy does not seek unlimited power. It is thrust upon him. He does not exercise it for selfish ends. He uses it to defeat those who are promoting selfish ends. If the discipline of blood and iron is necessary to establish the liberty of Russia, a world growing fiercer in its democracy every day will hope that Dictator Kerensky will not be sparing of either of them.—[New York World.]

COUNTY THRIFT CAR.

Residents Along Trolley Line Have Unusual Opportunity.

A thrift car under direction of the Home Economics department of the Otsego County Farm bureau through the co-operation of the Southern New York railway and Mrs. F. Ambrose Clark is to aid the communities along the line of the Southern New York Railway company to can and preserve their vegetables and fruits. The car, which will be in charge of Miss Eggleston and Miss Hale of the Home Economics department, is for the use of all whether they are members of the Otsego County Home Economics clubs or not.

The equipment of the car will include a pressure canner, steam cooker, commercial drier and several heating devices.

The discussion during the demonstrations and lectures will be on conservation of food and methods of preservation, including salting, drying and canning.

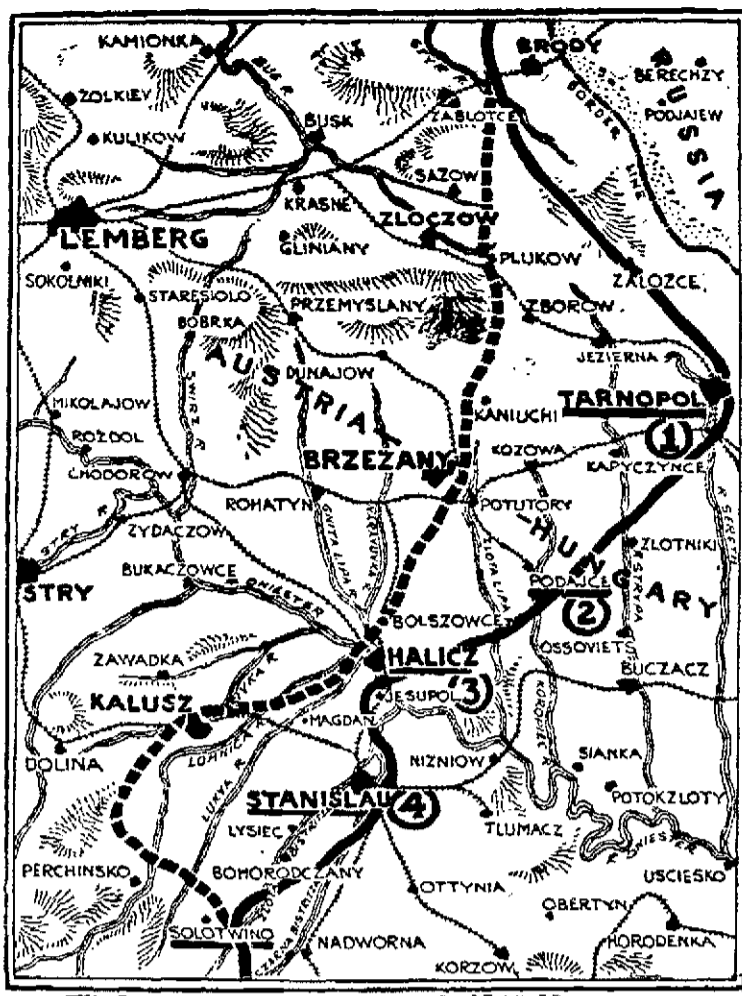
The pressure canner will be demonstrated by putting it to actual use in canning meats and vegetables while the steam cooker will be used for fruits, etc. The pressure canner is capable of taking care of 15 pints and 10 quarts an hour.

The Star urges and advises the women of Otsego county to take advantage of the splendid opportunity to aid in increasing the food supply for the next year. They can render no more patriotic duty.

Schedule for Otsego Thrift Car.

Monday—Henderson July 30
Afternoon—Jordanville July 30
Tuesday—All day—Richfield July 31
Wednesday—All day—Canadara Pk August 1
Evening—Oakville August 1
Thursday—All day—Schuyler Lake August 2
Friday—All day—Fly Creek August 3
Evening—Tadousville August 3
Monday—All day—West Oneonta August 6
Tuesday—All day—Laurens August 7
Wednesday—All day—Mt. Vision August 8
Thursday—All day—Hartwick August 9
Friday—All day—So. Hartwick August 10
Evening—Index August 10

Russians Abandon Stanislaw



The advance of the Teutonic army sweeps on uninterruptedly. South of Tarnopol (1), according to official reports, the Germans forced their way over the Sereth river and succeeded in passing beyond Podajace (2) and Halicz. This news was followed by the announcement from Petrograd that Stanislaw was being abandoned.

WITH BOYS AT PEEKSKILL

Incidents of Week at State Camp for Boys — Honors Easy with Oneonta Contingent.

Editor Star — Saturday was, undoubtedly, the biggest day of this camp. Governor Whitman visited the camp, and remained all the afternoon making an inspection. He arrived at 2 o'clock and the entire regiment was drawn up from the entrance of the reservation to headquarters, a distance of about half a mile or more. A full dress parade followed his arrival. The Governor then addressed us in a very patriotic manner, which so moved some of the fellows in our company that they painted a big, star, white Co. H on the face of a cliff which fronts the parade ground, some time Saturday night. We haven't heard anything but comments so far, but expect to hear something more definite from it in a short time.

Another gala day for us was when the Field Bakery arrived. Maybe it didn't seem good to see that little Bingham boy again, and Gregory and Seagraves and the rest of that old home bunch. Although "Bing" has had only light work so far, he seems to stand up remarkably well under it, and is fast becoming so tanned he is not recognizable. The rest are fast assuming a coppery hue which seems to be the rage as a color scheme down here.

All the Oneonta fellows in Company H are fast moving to the front in our company. Besides Russell Stapleton's attaining of the rank of sergeant, William Day has been made corporal, which shows how wise the commission was in picking out our officers. In a competitive test last Friday I was picked, in some unknown manner, as the first man. Privates Miller and Hanor each seems to have his special hobby. With "Chet" it is rifle shooting, and with Hanor, well he takes in all the honors when it comes to making the cooks work hard. The fellows have learned, in one tent, that when that occasional, looked-long-for box arrives from home to get what they want first before they pass it to him.

The fellows thought that it would improve "Russ" Stapleton if a little talcum powder was judiciously scattered around his suit case. Well, the dire deed was done and now when "Russ" moves down the street everybody draws a deep breath and murmurs "beauty parlor" or something to that effect.

But after all Saturday won't come any too quick for most of the fellows, and everybody seems to seek condolence from the fellow next to him by saying, "What will you be doing a week from today?"

Peekskill, N. Y., July 25, 1917.

DELAWARE AND HUDSON

Makes Formal Application to Issue Nine Millions in Gold Notes.

The Public Service commission, second district, at Albany Tuesday, heard the application of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad company for leave to issue a \$9,000,000 5 per cent gold note issue, which will be secured by \$11,700,000 bonds and stocks as collateral and is made instead of the originally contemplated bond issue, due to the fact that existing conditions make it impracticable to attempt to float a bond issue at the present time. Affidavits to this effect were filed with the commission by representatives of the petitioner.

Walter G. Noyes, general counsel; William H. Williams, vice president, and W. D. Waldron, attorney for the D. & H. company, appeared for the railroad.

Part of the money obtained through the note issue will be used to retire \$8,000,000 Pennsylvania division first mortgage currency 7's and which mature on September 1, 1917. The balance of the proceeds of the issue will be expended for the various improvements and other needs.

Line job printing at The Herald office.

MANAGER EASTMAN RESIGNS.

Delaware Agent Accepts Position With Food Commission.

E. R. Eastman, Delaware county agricultural agent, tendered his resignation to the directors of the Delaware County Farm Bureau association at a meeting held in Walton last week.

Mr. Eastman has been offered a position with the New York Food commission at a substantial increase in salary with prospect of further advancement. He will have charge of a study into the cost of milk production and as Delaware county leads in the cow testing work, Mr. Eastman and family will remain there until January, when they expect to move to Ithaca.

Mr. Eastman has been in charge of the Delaware County Farm bureau since the spring of 1916. Under his management the membership has more than doubled and the work has been greatly extended so that it embraces every community in the county.

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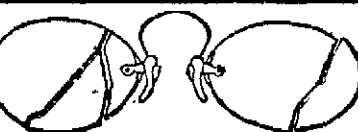
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LOCAL MENTION.

—The Light and Power company is
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west of Grove, and on a portion of
Fairview street.

—The Booster class of the Elm Park
Methodist Episcopal church will hold
an ice cream social at the church,
Stop 6-a on trolley, this evening. All
are cordially invited to attend.

—Through the courtesy of the man-
agement of the Happy Hour theatre,
Company G will attend the perform-
ance this evening in a body to see Vi-
olet Mersereau in "Susan's Gentleman."

—Members of the Men's Bible class
of the Methodist Episcopal church and
their families and all others interested
will picnic at Neah-wa park this
evening at 7 o'clock. All unsolicited
bring sandwiches.

—Company G boys in the exhibi-
tion drill at the Country club last even-
ing gave no evidence of the sore arms
with which they are suffering. Vac-
cination was undergone the previous
day and not a few felt the effects, al-
though concealing all evidence there-
of.

—There was a conference in the city
yesterday of the executive committee
of the Democratic County committee.
It is supposed that they considered the
county ticket to be nominated at the
September primaries, but nothing de-
finite could be ascertained of their
plans.

GATHERING THE HAY CROP.

Much Difficulty Experienced By Farm-
ers in This Task.

Hon. D. H. Mackey of Meridale, in
the city yesterday on business errands,
reports the hay crop of Otsego and
Delaware counties as unprecedentedly
large, but that farmers are experienc-
ing great difficulty in gathering the
crop. While it is only now maturing
and is from two to three weeks late,
yet the weather and climatic conditions
have precluded gathering any amount
until the last couple of days. The help
problem is a serious one and the
farmers are perplexed to know how
the work is to be completed. Then,
too, many of them have been unable
to secure help and with the only son
perhaps drawn for military duty, they
view the conditions with much uneas-
iness. Not a few are according to re-
ports planning to sell their dairies
because of the help problem and the
probability that many of the young
men of the towns will be called away.

ENLISTS IN AVIATION SERVICE.

Read Account in Star, Then Applies for
Acceptance—Army Needs 23,891 Men.

After seeing the account that ap-
peared in The Star yesterday telling
that the army has resumed recruiting
for the aviation branch of the signal
corps, but would not give instruction
in flying, Timothy F. Sullivan of Bing-
hamton, an engineer on the railroad,
applied for enlistment and was ac-
cepted.

The army is fast securing the men
that it needs to bring it to war
strength. It now needs only 23,891.
Thomas H. Finch of Shavertown en-
listed in the infantry yesterday. Three
men were rejected.

Noted Cartoonist Coming.

R. F. Brinkerhoff of New York city,
the noted cartoonist of the Evening
Mail of New York, is expected to ar-
rive in Oneonta this evening, accom-
panied by Mrs. Brinkerhoff and his
sister. They will for a few days be
guests at the residence of Mr. and Mrs.
George B. Baird, whom they met
while on a southern trip. Mr. Baird
motors to Kingston today and they
will accompany him back for the ride
through the Catskills. Mr. Brinker-
hoff, in addition to his work for the
Evening Mail does no little work for
several of the important magazines.

Meetings Today.

Oneonta legion, No. 153, N. P. L.,
in K of P hall, this evening at 8
o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Uni-
ted Presbyterian church will meet at
the church this afternoon at 2:30
o'clock.

A meeting of the Woman's Mission-
ary society of the First Baptist church
will be held with Mrs. E. J. Winans,
20 Spruce street, this evening at 7:30.
Oneonta circle, 248, will meet this
evening at 8 o'clock.

Oneonta camp, No. 22, Order of the
Golden Seal, in I. O. O. F. hall, Chest-
nut street, at 8 p. m.

Summer Millinery.

White satin hats, the new thing
in hat for mid-summer. Bargains in
colored hats for sport wear. Miss A.
Caswell, the Broad street milliner.

Notice.

\$94-J calls City Fish market. Hal-
but, cod, salmon, swordfish, butter fish,
mackerel, halibut, Boston bluefish.
Phone early and oblige M. G. Jones,
manager.

New headlight, all different style
lenses to conform with the new state
law in effect August 1, at A. M.
Butts' stores, 252-254 Main street.

Amateur Kodak Finishing.

Best class of film developing and
printing. Caulkins' studio, 12 Broad
street.

For Sale—Buick touring car, first
class condition. Someone will get it
cheap. R. F. Howland, phone 1009-W,
48 Spruce street.

The Sunday dinner at the Oneonta
hotel, commencing Sunday, July 29,
will be \$1.00.

SERVE DINNER TO SOLDIERS

ONEONTA COUNTRY CLUB ENTER-
TAIN COMPANY G MEMBERS
HANDSOMELY.

Following a Drill on the Plateau, in
Which the Boys Make Fine Appear-
ance, Chicken Dinner Is Served in
the Club House—Brought Back To
City in Motor Cars.

Company G members, after a stren-
uous day of drilling and instruction,
were guests of the Oneonta Country
club last evening and one of the larg-
est crowds ever seen on the grounds
was present to welcome the soldiers
boys and to witness the drill which
they gave prior to being served a din-
ner by the ladies of the club. The
men left the armory about 3 o'clock
and marched down Chestnut street,
baiting on the Miller plot, to practice
for fully an hour before proceeding to
the Country club grounds.

Arriving at the club the men
marched past the club house, the
piazzas of which and the surrounding
lawn were thronged with spectators
who cheered and waved handkerchiefs
as the boys marched by. They pro-
ceeded to the shade of the trees fring-
ing the bluff where they were given a
short period of rest. Forming about
5 o'clock they were given a vigor-
ous drill covering the entire plateau
with Major Augustin, Captain Ahrends
the mustering officer from the regular
army, Lieutenant Martin of the Medi-
cal Reserve corps and Lieutenant
Brady of the Medical corps of the
regiment reviewing and the bluff
lined with spectators who cheered the
men lustily. The drill continued for
an hour and the men went through
the difficult maneuvers very creditably,
in fact exceedingly so when one con-
sidered that the personnel of the com-
pany has changed to a very large ex-
tent since the company returned from
Garrison. The Oneonta City band
which generously donated its services
played during the drill. Captain
Keepers commanded the company and
none who witnessed the drill felt
otherwise than that the company is in
very capable hands.

At 6 o'clock he announced that the
command would stack arms and when
he, a second later dismissed the com-
pany for dinner, the men gave evi-
dence of strength and vitality for there
resulted a foot race for the locker
room with no little fleetness displayed.
After a refreshing wash the men re-
paired to the club house where with
tables tastefully spread in both the din-
ing room and dance hall a most ap-
petizing dinner was served. A boy of
the younger ladies of the club grac-
iously acting as waitresses. The meal
was prepared by the ladies of the club
and it embraced among other dishes
chicken-pie, boiled ham, potatoes, cab-
bage salad, biscuit, pickles, ice cream
and cake, coffee with cigars and ci-
garettes following. There was an
abundance of the edibles and the fel-
lows ate in a manner to delight the
cooks. The band gave a concert dur-
ing the dinner which was enjoyed by
many in addition to the diners, not a
few club members remaining to wit-
ness the dinner.

At 7:30 o'clock there were about 60
motor cars, including those which
had remained at the grounds lined up
to bring the boys back to the city and
before entering the cars the com-
mand formed in front of the club
house and gave three cheers and a
tiger with a vim for the Country
club. The event was not only a happy
token of the deep interest which the
people of the city feel in the company
but served to arouse keener apprecia-
tion of the soldierly appearance and
conduct of the command. Probably
not a spectator of the event but has
a higher esteem of not only the in-
dividual men of the company but of
its commanding officers. Captain
Ahrends of the regular army, who has
given the company much valuable aid,
voiced his approval of the company
and is confident that the First regiment
will have no company excelling the
Oneonta company.

In addition to the club members
who gave the dinner and the hand-
members who contributed their ser-
vices acknowledgment is due to Mr.
and Mrs. Bassett the caterers, who
heartily united in the project at no
little pecuniary loss to themselves and
in addition assisted in every way the
ladies in the event, their help also
assisting.

National Surety Company Agent.

Claude V. Smith has accepted a lo-
cal agency of the National Surety
company of New York. The appoint-
ment permits Mr. Smith, with the au-
thority of United States government
ratings, to write single bonds up to
\$27,000, this being the largest which
can be executed by any one company
in the United States.

BLUE BIRD DAY AT HAPPY HOUR.

Charming Violet Mersereau Starred in
"Susan's Gentleman."

Edwin Stevens, the famous dramatic
producer, has directed Violet Mer-
sereau in another Blue Bird photoplay
and the result will constitute the at-
traction at the Happy Hour today,
when "Susan's Gentleman" is shown
for the first time here.

Also a two reel Rex drama, "Helen
Grayson's Strategy," with Irene Hunt,
Company G will attend the evening
performance in a body. Come and see
the boys.

Bargain in Roadster.

Metz roadster, in fine condition, good
tires. A bargain; \$50 down and month-
ly. 14-16 Dietz street, Fred N. Van-
Wile.

Poultry Wanted—July 28, 30, 31.

Hens, 17 cents; chickens, 20 cents;
ducks, 13 cents. J. H. Potter, 71
Maple street.

1914 Ford touring car for sale.
Must be sold immediately. Low price
for quick sale. See Collis Washburn,
phone 369-J and 446-W.

NOTICE TO KNITTERS.

Here Are the Particulars of Just What
Our Sailor Boys Want.

Many Star readers seem to be in
doubt as to whether knitted garments
are worn by the men in the navy.
Lieutenant Commander Grady of the
United States navy says that the fol-
lowing articles of wearing apparel are
highly appreciated:

Helmetts vs. Mufflers: Helmetts are
preferred from those who are able to
knit them. Not because mufflers are
"not wanted or worn," and not be-
cause they are used to "polish the
brasses" or to "clean the guns," but
for the simple reason that hundreds of
school children are making the muf-
flets, and if those who are able will
knit the helmetts we can fill the sets.

Knitted Helmetts vs. Flannel Hel-
metts: We are not substituting, nor do
we intend to substitute, flannel hel-
metts for knitted helmetts. The flannel
helmetts will not be received by the
navy department.

Socks: There can be no doubt or
question as to which is the better,
the hand knitted sock or the machine
made sock. We are told by officers
who have returned from the trenches
that the life of a machine made sock
is ten hours and the life of a hand-
made sock five days and sometimes
longer. The hand-made sock can be
mended. The machine made sock
must be thrown away.

Hand Made Garments vs. Machine
Made Garments: Take any woman in
any shop and give her a choice of a
hand made garment or a machine
made garment—it would be futile to
try to palm off the machine made gar-
ment upon her. Hand made garments
are more durable, warmer, better
quality, in fact better in every re-
spect.

TUSKEGEE SINGERS COMING.

To Sing in City Churches on Sunday
Next.

"Five students and one teacher from
Booker T. Washington's famous
school at Tuskegee, Alabama, will sing
in several Oneonta churches next
Sunday. In the morning at 10:30 they
will sing in the First Methodist
church. At 12:15 they will sing at
the Chapin Memorial Sunday school.
Their final appearance will be in the
First Presbyterian church at 7:30 p.
m. At all of these meetings they will
sing the religious folk songs of the
colored race such as, "Steal Away to
Jesus," "Couldn't Her, Nobody Pray,"
and "Balm in Gilead."

The Tuskegee quintet is on a tour
in this section in the interests of the
Tuskegee Institute. Wherever they
sing a free will offering is invited for
the Christian, industrial and patriotic
training of the colored people of the
south.

Robert E. Moton, formerly of
Hampton Institute in Virginia, suc-
ceeded the late Booker T. Washington
as principal of Tuskegee institute. Dr.
Moton has just completed his
first year as the new head of Tus-
kegee, having made a notable record.
He awarded diplomas and trade cer-
tificates to 112 graduates of this school
at its recent commencement.

NEARING THOUSAND MARK.

Chamber of Commerce Committee
Hopes to Complete Canvass Today.

Chairman Frank A. Herrieff of the
Chamber of Commerce soliciting
fund for comforts for Company G, has
received word of the activities of other
communities in behalf of this work.

Postmaster Carley of Cooperstown
wrote a letter yesterday, stating that
the task of securing funds was well
under way in that village and that the
people were deeply interested in the
outcome of the committee's efforts.

While Mr. Herrieff would not give
any definite figures for publication as
to the present size of the fund it is
safe to say it is over eight hundred
dollars with several other places to be
heard from.

If the committees will finish the
work today and tomorrow the chair-
man will make his report to the di-
rectors at an early date and the money
then placed at the disposal of the
members of the commands.

Files Claim.

John J. McIntyre of this city has
filed a claim for damages against the
Delaware and Hudson company, for
the loss of an eye while working in the
shops several weeks ago. Hon. Charles
C. Fleisch of Unadilla is the attorney
for claimant.

THE STRAND TODAY.

Big Double Bill—The Neglected Wife
and Fires of Youth.

This week Ruth Roland shows how
hard it is for a girl to fight the tempta-
tions of everyday life and the way it
is handled makes a pretty story.
"Fires of Youth" is a story showing
how a man will sell his youth and all
for gold. The famous actor, Frederick
Vard, supported by Helen Badgley,
the little wonder child, makes a beau-
tiful cast for this type of picture. To-
morrow we offer William S. Hart in
his masterpiece, "The Desert Man."
This is some picture.

Tires, Tires, Tires.

Just received a big shipment of
Firestone, McGraw, Lee and Fisk sec-
onds, all sizes; greatly reduced prices.
14-16 Dietz street, Fred N. VanWile.

1914 Ford touring car for sale.
Must be sold immediately. Low price
for quick sale. See Collis Washburn,
phone 369-J and 446-W.

That Klipnokie coffee goes farthest,
tastes best, and is cheapest in the end,
is proven in the cup. Try it out, 35c
per.

For Sale—A Cadillac car in good
condition. Will be sold cheaper than
dirt. Edward E. Ford.

Wash Skirts and Wash Dresses

WHITE AND COLORS

Skirts—Poplin, Linen, Pique, Gabardine and Fancy
Stripes. Prices \$2.50 to \$5.75. Regular value.

Dresses—Voiles, Lawns, Nets and Poplins. Prices
\$5.00 to \$17.50. Regular value. A special discount
of 20c on the dollar given on these prices.

These Skirts and Dresses are exceedingly well made
from desirable fabrics and from their superior workman-
ship will prove good fitting and long wearing. An early
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Patriots, Wear Your Flag

It helps to wear the
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thing everyone can do,
men, women, boys and
girls.

You help toward 'doing
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the colors constantly.

Flag Buttons and Pins

Brigham's is showing
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and pins, in different
sizes, at prices every-
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25c, 50c, up to
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WE ARE SHOWING A NEW Military Mirror and Heart Shield

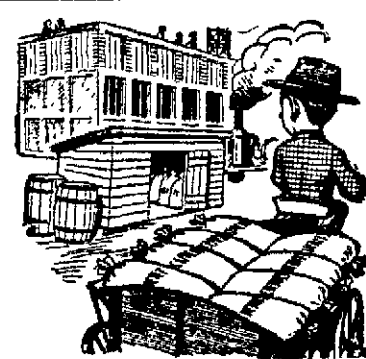
This Mirror is made of
Brass, highly polished and
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These Mirrors come in a
neat case and will fit in
breast pocket. Price \$1 and
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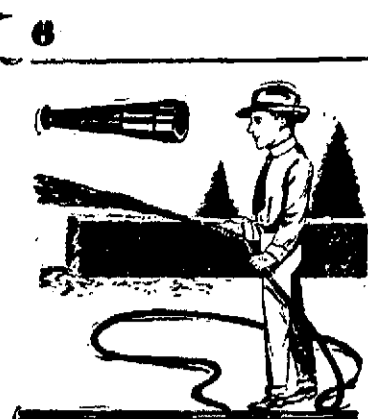
Crepe Kimonos \$1.12 up to \$3.75. Lawn and Dimity
Kimonos \$1.00 and \$1.50. Dotted Swisses and Voiles
\$1.50 up. Silks and Crepe De Chine \$5.00 up to \$15.

White Lawn Dressing Sacques, \$1.00 value for 79c.

White Wash Skirts \$2.75, \$3, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50,
\$5, \$6 and \$6.75.

Dix-Make House and Porch Dresses \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3,
\$3.50, \$4 and \$5.

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Warden or walk through our special lawn or garden hose. It is the kind that doesn't kink or crack, and that will last a long, long time with ordinary care. Comes in various lengths with nozzles, couplings, reels, etc. Come and get an outfit and be your own rain maker.

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Beans, Green Peppers, Egg Plant,
Summer Squash, Spanish Onions,
Bunch Beets, Carrots,
Choice Western Beef,
Sweet Milk Veal,
Native Pork,
Spring Lamb, all cuts,
Fowls and Broilers.

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In justice to yourself you should certainly see our latest effort in this direction.

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ONEONTA, N. Y.

PERSONALS.

M. E. Cleary is in Bainbridge this week on business.

Mrs. T. G. Baugh of 4 Brook street spent Thursday with friends in Norwich.

C. G. Tennant esq. of Cooperstown was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Helen Inman of Plattsburgh is visiting her uncle, F. S. Patridge, 26 Maple street.

Miss Ora Phipps of New York city is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ranney, 267 Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Clute were in Stamford Wednesday evening to attend the Millard-Andrus nuptials.

Miss Juliette Baylis of Huntington, L. I., is the guest of her friend, Mrs. Clarence V. Ceperley, Maple street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner, who had been spending a week in Saratoga Springs, returned home last evening.

Mrs. Jere Kennedy and two children of Elmhurst, L. I., were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Clute.

Mrs. Susan Blend of 62 West street is the guest for a week of her daughter, Mrs. Glenwood House, in Syracuse.

Miss Beatrice Whipple of Cooperstown is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Charles Walling, 401 Main street, this week.

Miss Cecile Hughson of Norwich is spending a week's vacation with her cousin, Burr F. Norton, 35 Broad street.

Miss Anna Benedict and Miss Mary Bassett from Holmat are visiting Fred Smith for a few days at 103 Spruce street.

Mrs. Jacob Vosburg of this city was called to Otego yesterday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Herbert Munson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Maynard and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Maynard, all of Utica, who are en tour, were at The Oneonta yesterday.

Mrs. Elsie Hotaling and granddaughter, Brenda, left yesterday for a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Binghamton.

Miss Marjorie Shattuck of Norwich is spending a week's vacation with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Schermerhorn, 10 State street.

Miss Rose Lathan of 32 Valleyview street was in Sidney yesterday to meet her brother, Harry, who was returning from a visit in Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Patchen, all of Sidney, motored to Oneonta yesterday and were guests at The Oneonta.

Miss Gladys Herring, who had been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Herring, for the past week, has returned to her home in Otego.

Mrs. F. A. Fitzelle and daughter, Marion, who are spending the summer with the former's son, Prof. A. E. of this city, were in Cooperstown yesterday for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harp, who had been spending a day with the former's parents, Conductor and Mrs. C. R. Harp, 47 Academy street, returned yesterday to their home in New York.

Miss Elizabeth Tarbox and Miss Evelyn Lord returned last evening from a short visit at Maple Rest, Laurens, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson and other friends.

Mrs. Frank Rush and daughter, Kathryn, of Weehawken, N. J., arrived in the city Tuesday evening and are now guests of Mrs. Caroline Hayes, 29 Church street. They will also visit other relatives and friends.

Supervisor Charles Goodell of Worcester was in Oneonta yesterday on business for the township. The potato king of Worcester reports a large growth of vines in the town little or no rust, and an outlook for a very large crop.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. White of Cooperstown, accompanied by Mrs. R. W. Dewar and Miss Lodge, motored down yesterday afternoon and witnessed the drill of Company G at the Country club, dining later at The Oneonta.

Miss Bertha Fuller of Sidney, who had been visiting her sisters in Laurens, was in Oneonta yesterday on her way home. She was accompanied by Miss Louise Stilson and Miss Clementine Hopkins, who will be her guests for a few days.

Mrs. Belle Hurlbutt, with her daughters, Marcia and Frances, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., arrived in Oneonta yesterday morning and in company with her daughter, Dorothy, will spend some time at the Cathedral farm as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Buckley.

Bids Wanted.

On or before the first day of August, 1917, the local board of the Normal school will receive sealed bids for the laying of a new floor in the gymnasium at the State Normal school, the flooring to be clear maple 2 1/2 inches thick, 13-16 inches thick, matched, and matched and thoroughly seasoned, the sleepers to be of seasoned chestnut 2x4 inches, laid 16 inches from center to center.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Walter S. Whipple, Secretary.
Oneonta, July 25, 1917. adv 11

Men Wanted

For firemen and trainmen on D. & H. railroad. Apply to R. J. McCarthy, superintendent, Oneonta, N. Y. adv 1w

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, August 1, Eagle, Norwich, August 4. adv 1f

Wanted—Ten men to pile feed. Experience not necessary. Elmore Milling company. adv 1f

For prompt taxi service phone 263-W, or residence 1032-W. J. W. Pomeroy, Wilson house. adv 1mo

Upright piano for sale at sacrifice. A-No. 1 condition. Inquire at No. 10 Cliff street. adv 1f

I hereby refuse to pay any bills contracted by others than myself. David Male. adv 1f

Fine job printing at The Herald office.

MARRIED IN KNOXBORO CHURCH.

Miss Violet Renier Becomes Bride of W. H. Stratton of Oneonta.

Knoxboro, July 25. — In a pretty ceremony in the Presbyterian church in this village at 7:30 tonight, Miss Violet Louise Renier of this place became the bride of William H. Stratton of Oneonta. Rev. Robert Duncan performed the ceremony.

The Episcopal ring service was used to unite the young couple and the church presented an attractive setting in decorations of green and yellow.

The bride was attended by Miss Susie Stratton, sister of the groom, while DeWitt Renier, brother of the bride, was best man.

The following were bridesmaids: Miss Ruth Knox, Miss Charlotte Fairchild, Miss Dorothy Snow, Miss Louise Kendall, all of Knoxboro. The ushers were: Leonard Kendall, New Haven, Conn.; Curtis Knox, Kenwood; Karl Ripley, Rome, and Wells Cochran, Oneida Castle.

The bride wore a gown of white tulle satin, with bridal veil caught with orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses. Her maid of honor wore a white embroidered gown of net. The bridesmaids all wore blue satin and white net gowns.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, at which friends and relatives extended greetings.

Mrs. Guy Fay of Oneonta played the wedding marches and Miss Laura Durkee sang "Beloved, It Is Morn" and "To You Alone."

The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts and she has been the guest of honor at numerous pre-nuptial affairs.

After the reception the young couple left in an automobile for Utica, from which they took train for points along Lake Ontario.

The bride is a graduate of Oneonta Normal school in the class of 1912 and has taught in the local school five years.

The groom is a resident of Oneonta, but is now employed by the Oneida Community, Ltd., at Sherrill.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stratton of Oneonta, the groom's parents; DeForest Ingham of Oneonta, Mr. Ripley and family of Rome, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Helgie of Utica, and Mr. Atkins and family of New York Mills.

—(Utica Press.)

FUNERAL OF OLIVER MEAD.

Held at Late Home on Main Street Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral services of Oliver C. Mead, notice of whose sudden death was reported in Tuesday's Star, were held at the late home, 408 Main street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Dr. James C. Russell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated and spoke fittingly of this well known and respected resident of Oneonta.

The services were attended by a large gathering of friends and neighbors of the deceased.

After the services at the house, the funeral party proceeded by motor to Laurens, where the burial was held.

The bearers were: Charles Lintz, Fred Archer, Theron Manning, Isaac Morrell, C. O. Biederman and J. J. Turner.

Beautiful floral pieces were sent by sympathizing friends and neighbors, including large tributes from the Social club of the Chapin Memorial church, the Woman's Christian Temperance union and the proprietor and employees of the Wright Taxi service.

The following relatives and friends were present from other places: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mead, Westville, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mead, Endicott; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cornell, Mrs. L. H. Hartmann, Bainbridge; Mrs. L. O. Ramsdell, Masonville; Mrs. Van Birdsell, East Masonville; Mrs. Elizabeth Blencoe, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chase, Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, Sidney; Mr. and Mrs. William Van Kleek, Ralph Van Kleek, Claude Van Kleek, Unadilla; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hadsell, Coleskill; Mr. and Mrs. George Peifer, Clifford; Mrs. Emma Eiler, Norwich; Mrs. Harry Gregory, Richmondville; Mrs. Daniel Cornell, Masonville; Mrs. Ella Crydenwise, Fred Crydenwise, West Oneonta; D. Daniels, Cooperstown.

Farewell Party for Dewey Clark.

On Wednesday evening a farewell party was given in honor of Dewey Clark at his home, 49 Fonda avenue.

Mr. Clark is soon to leave with Company G for camp. The evening was merrily spent with music and games, after which refreshments were served and all departed at a late hour with good wishes for Mr. Clark.

Enlist in Coast Artillery.

Earl and Harold Frazier of Savannah, Ga., sons of the late Rev. J. R. Frazier, of Davenport, have enlisted in the Savannah coast artillery. It is expected that later this company will be formed into a strong field artillery. The company is made up almost entirely of Savannah men.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors who assisted us in any way during our recent bereavement. Especially we wish to thank those who sent flowers, including the Social club of the Chapin Memorial church, and W. C. T. U. and the Wright Taxi service.

Mrs. O. C. Mead,
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mead,
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mead.

Take Notice.

That owners and harborers of dogs can obtain a license upon application at the city clerk's office. Licenses should be obtained before August 1, 1917.

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MARRIAGES.

Thayer-Akin.

Marvin B. Thayer and Miss Julia A. Akin, both of this city, were married at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Akin, of 4 Oak street. The ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Edson J. Farley, of the First Baptist church, in the presence of a few relatives and intimate personal friends.

F. P. Kilbourne of Oneonta was best man and Miss Anna J. Reynolds of Stamford the bridesmaid. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Thayer departed on the 11:10 train for a honeymoon which will be spent in and about Albany.

After their return they will remain for a little time at the home of the bride's parents before beginning housekeeping for themselves.

Many elegant present of china, silverware and linen were received, in addition to the substantial sum of \$105 in coin.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Thayer of this city and is a valued employee of the Delaware and Hudson company. The bride, who is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Akin, is a much respected young woman of Oneonta. Both have many friends who will extend congratulations and best wishes.

Smoker and Lunch Tonight.

The Loyal Order of Moose has made arrangements for a feed and smoker in honor of the members who are members of Company G this evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and give the boys a hearty farewell. The speakers of the evening will be Judge Bockes and Hon. L. P. Butts.

This session was to have been held Wednesday evening, but on account of the Sherman lake dance, it was postponed.

Men Wanted.

A number of men can find work at Emmons crossing on construction work, wages \$2.75 per day. Apply T. Demers, superintendent, Porter Bros., Oneonta, N. Y. adv 1f

One dollar pays for one dozen fine photographs at the Young studio, 192 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y. adv 1f

DEATHS.

Mrs. Allie Peet.

Mrs. Allie Peet of Laurens, whose death was briefly noted in The Star of yesterday, was the wife of the late Orton Peet of that place and was 65 years of age. She was born in Treadwell, her parents being Mr. and Mrs. David Broadwell. In 1870 she was married to Scott Gregory, and after his death in 1904 she married Orton Peet, who died several years ago. She had been a resident of Laurens for the past 35 years.

Mrs. Peet is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Otis Blencoe of Maryland, and by two brothers: her twin brother, Almon Broadwell, who for the past few years had resided with her, and Charles Broadwell of Farmers' City, Illinois. She was greatly beloved by her friends and neighbors and her death will be regretted by many.

The funeral will be held at her late home at 1 p. m. today. The pastor of the Morris Methodist Episcopal church will officiate and burial will be in the Hillington cemetery at Morris.

PICKED FOR AVIATION SCHOOL.

Edward S. Lubbers of Brooklyn Goes to Toronto for Training.

A dispatch to the Brooklyn Eagle of recent date from Plattsburgh, states that 25 candidates picked for the aviation service, left there for Toronto, Canada, where they will receive instruction at the Royal Flying Corps school. Among the names of residents of Brooklyn in the party is that of Edward S. Lubbers, son of E. H. Lubbers of the Bauer Chemical company, owners of the Sanger factory at East End. Mr. Lubbers is the youngest member of his company, being but 22 years of age.

Mr. Lubbers is one of 14 selected from his company of 60 to take the examination for second Lieutenant in the United States army. Mr. Lubbers, like his paternal grandfather, is a thorough patriot and will give a good account of himself all friends of the father in the city, and they are many, are confident.

Maxwell Cars—We have some new 1917 Maxwell cars at attractive prices, also a few good used cars to suit your pocketbook. Arthur M. Butts, 232-234 Main street. adv 1f

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LOST—On train No. 7, U. & D. R. July 4, between Kingston Point and Orono, a pair of eye glasses, gold filled frame, in a leather case. A small reward will be paid for the return of the same. Major Charles T. Green, United States Army, recruiting station, 170 Main street, Orono, N. Y.

LOST—Thursday afternoon on trolley car leaving East End at 4:30, a small black change purse containing \$7.00. Finder please phone 363-W.

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TO RENT—Furnished rooms, all improvements, references required. Inquire at 315 Main street.

TO RENT—Furnished room for two or three gentlemen. Inquire 224 Main. Flats first floor.

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WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework. H. D. McClellan, R. D. 1, Franklin, N. Y. Telephone on Mackay line.

WANTED—Pastry cook. Nothing but best need apply. Twentieth Century lunch.

WANTED—Carpenters to repair and rebuild caboose and other general work, at 2 & 3 shops.

WANTED—Boys 14 years or over, to deliver papers. Inquire at Star office.

WANTED—A boy 15 or 16 years of age for housework. Address Clarence Burton, Worcester.

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The Various Processes That Produce the Conflicting Properties Necessary in These Modern Projectile Resisting Warship Jackets.

Only armored warships could live in a naval battle with modern big gun projectiles in use, and hence the making of armor plate has become a science. The manufacture of armor plate has developed considerably in recent years, and in no branch of the steel industry is there greater opportunity for engineering and mechanical skill, coupled with metallurgical knowledge, than in the operations of forging and rolling, followed by the exact heat treatment, essential to produce the most conflicting properties necessary in modern armor.

The plate must be hard, glass hard, to resist penetration by heavy projectiles moving at tremendous velocities, yet tough and fibrous enough to take up the momentum without cracking or distortion. Mechanically, then, the plate must have an extremely hard surface and a fibrous backing. These requirements were attained in part by the old compound armor. Molten steel was poured on to a wrought iron plate and cooled. The slab was then reheated, forged and rolled to the required dimensions. If the operations were successfully carried out the line of demarcation was scarcely visible.

Recently a modification of this process was introduced to cheapen and render less tedious the production of armor. A layer of hard steel was poured into a cooled mold, the underside quickly setting. On the still fluid or pasty surface a thick layer of soft steel was poured. By careful manipulation the union of the surfaces was almost complete, and it was impossible to detect the break in composition on viewing the fractured section. This method of manufacture was undoubtedly an improvement on the old compound method.

The increasing size, velocity and hardness of modern armor piercing projectiles have necessitated the introduction of the modern armor. The process of manufacture essentially consists in case hardening to a depth of about two inches the surface of a homogeneous tough nickel chrome steel. Special air or self hardening nickel and more complex steels are used for lighter armor, gun shields and cast armored structures.

The steel is made in Siemens furnaces and carefully cast into ingots up to eighty tons in weight. These ingots are then slabs under powerful hydraulic presses (30,000 tons) or rolled directly to the required dimensions, depending on the power of the mills and appliances. During the rolling operation, which lasts about an hour, the slab is reversed and inverted to attain uniformity of working, and scale is removed by wood fagots and water jets. After rolling the plate is usually quenched.

The next operation is that of case hardening, and in this two plates are put face to face, separated by a layer of the carburizing reagent if it be solid, or if gaseous hydrocarbons be used the plates are slightly separated, to allow free passage for the hardening gases, by bricks arranged in rows. The plates are maintained at redness in a car furnace for three weeks and withdrawn after the hardening carbon has penetrated to the required depth. The plates are thus carburized and so made capable of being hardened, but they are not yet actually hard. At this stage all holes are drilled and plugged, and any bending or machining necessary is carried out.

From this point onward the treatments differ. Some makers insist on heating and quenching in oil or water to remove any coarse structure that may have been formed during the long annealing while carburizing. The next essential operation is that of hardening, and this is usually carried out in one of two ways. Either the plate is uniformly heated to the hardening temperature and quenched by a series of water jets playing on the upper surface with sufficient force to prevent the formation of steam or by a process known as "differential quenching," by which the carburized surface is heated to a temperature from which it will harden, and the under side kept well below, so attaining a gradual fall in temperature from the top to the bottom. The whole plate is then immersed in water, the hotter surface alone being hardened, while the back is toughened. Further mechanical operations can be carried out only by grinding or cutting with oxy-acetylene, as the plate has now undergone the treatment conferring maximum hardness.

In resume, it will be noted that there are three distinct operations in modern methods of manufacture—the mechanical working of the plate to the required dimensions, the carburization of the surface, quenching the carburized surface to harden it. These operations call for exact manipulation, supervision and control, for the skill of the engineer and metallurgist may be put to the severest tests, not of the laboratory or the testing machine, but out in the "gray mists," when failure of a unit may imperil the safety and cohesion of the whole—Chambers' Journal.

His Bit.

Two hundred acres of wheat on the Oren Smith farm at Valley Center, Kan., now being thrashed, are averaging fifty bushels of high grade wheat to the acre. Farmers say this is a Kansas record. Seven measured acres yielded sixty-eight bushels to the acre.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Shirley L. Huntington, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Edgar Fuller, deceased, late of the town of Laurens, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at the office of Franklin C. Keyes, in the village of Laurens, in said county, on or before the 17th day of August, 1917.

Dated, February 3, 1917.

FANIA A. JONES MALLORY, Executor.

Franklin C. Keyes, Attorney for Executors, Laurens, N. Y.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vigorous—good character skin, a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and "asthmatics" we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten years of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nervousness, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

WOULD YOU WIN SUCCESS? Then Play the Game of Safety First, and Play It Well.

All the world loves a winner when the contest has been fairly played. The local baseball team receives far greater enthusiasm and support when it is winning than when it is repeatedly losing. We praise the accomplishment of a difficult feat. Each one of us hails the skill and tenacity of purpose that puts over any great achievement. Things requiring the clear head, the watchful eye, the skillful hand and the bulldog grip of determination get our hearty commendation.

Said Abraham Lincoln, "I don't think much of the man who is not wiser to day than he was yesterday." Not true words could be written of the safety first game. If you would be a winner, each day must find you wiser, keener and more alert than the day before.

It is a contest in which we match our determination to have no suffering from accidents to ourselves and fellow men against little acts of thoughtlessness and carelessness that bring these results.

Nor is this game ever ended. Each new day calls for a better score. New conditions surround us, and all of our faculties, the best that is in us, are challenged to increased effort. To have our work really well done it must be safely done, and none of us wants any less than the best.

For your own sake, for the sake of the family at home, the wife and children, the mother or sister, play the game, and play it well. Play it with the interest, the spirit, the enthusiasm, that will make you win. It will take all your skill and ability to play it right.

Yesterday is gone—forget it. Tomorrow is yet to come—plan for it. Today is here—use it. —Commonwealth.

A Queen Who Resigned

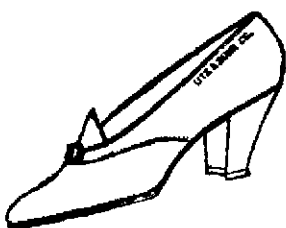
One queen who got tired of ruling over her nation and resigned was Queen Christina, daughter of the great Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden, whom she succeeded in 1632. Growing tired of reigning at the age of twenty-eight, she passed the crown over to her cousin, Charles Gustavus, and went to Rome, which city she is said to have entered in the costume of an amazon. Later she tried to regain her throne, but failed. She died at Rome in 1689.

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State Motor Club Officials.

President Frank M. Baucus of Troy and Secretary Herbert W. Baker of Albany, president and secretary of the New York State Automobile association, respectively, who are making a trip about the state visiting various local club officials, are expected in Oneonta about 5 o'clock this evening to confer with the motor club officers here.

It is hoped that they will be able to give some enlightenment relative to the best means of complying with the law relative to headlights and also that they will give some definite information relative to the colored balls which are being placed along the various state highways in this section. It has been surmised that they are to mark certain highways, but so far as The Star can learn no definite announcement relative to them has been made.

Tenth Reunion of Lough Family.

The tenth annual reunion of the Lough family will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Curry of Hartwick on Wednesday, August 1, 1917. All relatives are urged to be present.

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FRECKLE-FACE

Sea and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles while it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling. Simply get an ounce of oblique—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Fairly in more than one case needed for the worst case. Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength oblique as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles. ADV.

CITY LOSES ABOUT \$800.

New State Law Imposes Tax on Certain Corporations in Lieu of Assessment.

According to the provisions of a new law to which the attention of the city officials has been called, no local assessment can be placed upon manufacturing and mercantile corporations, the law levying a tax of three per cent upon the net profits of such concerns, which goes to the state. The incorporated companies are now required to make a report to the state similar to that required by the federal government as a basis for this tax.

Heretofore the city has had upon the assessment roll over \$25,000 assessed upon the stock companies named and they have paid into the city treasury nearly \$800, which the city will not in the future receive. The removal of this amount from the assessment roll reduces the amount also subject to state and county direct tax. The step has been taken no doubt by the state to secure an additional income to assist in keeping down the direct tax and will materially increase the income of the state. It will also probably result in an increased amount paid by the money making companies in the city.

Automobile Hit by Train.

Unadilla, July 26. — While crossing over the D. & H. railroad crossing just above the Sargent farm, about two miles above the village, the Maxwell touring car belonging to and driven by Harold Arnold of Binghamton, a traveling salesman, was run into by a freight train on Wednesday evening, about 11:20 o'clock. The car was badly demolished and thrown to one side. The other occupants of the car were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wylie of Sidney. All escaped without injury except Mr. Wylie, who was pinned under the car and badly bruised. The car was taken the next morning to the garage of F. W. Howe at Sidney.

A Forgotten Monument.

A Washington monument that was never erected occupied the attention of the citizens of New York in 1847. It was to tower so far above any other structure that it might be seen many miles out at sea. Several thousand dollars were actually raised and the cornerstone was laid with ceremony in Hamilton square, which covered the blocks now contained between Third and Fifth avenues, Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets. This was before Central park had been outlined. Hamilton square was a portion of the old common lands of the city. It is not known what became of the Washington monument cornerstone. The monument association gradually ceased to exist. The \$1,000,000 monument was forgotten, and when the ground once known as Hamilton square was cut up and the streets ran through no record remained as to what was done with the cornerstone and its leaden box filled with memorials of the city in 1847.—Exchange.

Adirondacks.

"Adirondacks" is an Indian word meaning "wood eaters" and was a term applied in derision to a defeated Indian tribe driven to the mountains by the Iroquois and forced to live there on bark and berries.

The Next Moves In the Draft Of Uncle Sam's Big New Army

Those Who Were Called First Received the News in a Philosophical Manner

Many Anxious to Get to France. One Bet That He Would Be Chosen First and Won

IN one of the large newspaper offices of the country a linotype was hammering out the draft numbers on the keyboard in front of him. No. 11 appeared on his "copy." He kept on tapping the keys. Then he stopped a moment and remarked:

"By gum, that's me! Well, if I'm of any use to Uncle Sam, all right."

"By gum, that's me!" That or some equivalent laconic expression was voiced by the great majority of the first thousand or two men whose red ink numbers corresponded to those contained in the little capsules which were drawn from the huge bowl in Washington.

As fast as the numbers were pulled in Washington they were sent by wire over the country and bulletined on store fronts, in hotels and elsewhere in public view. Apparently many cities abandoned work for the fascinating sensation of following the progress of the one lottery which has legal sanction. Except for being immeasurably more important and serious, it was like keeping track of a world's series game on a bulletin board. Most persons, particularly those whose low numbers in the drawing made the call for their examination for the draft a certainty, behaved soberly.

Here and there was a young patriot so anxious to get to France for a whack at the foe that he laughed exultantly and even bragged about his number being among the earliest drawn. There is even one record in instance of a man who wanted so to be conscripted and was so sure he would be that he had made a bet that his number would be the first one out of the globe at Washington. With the odds 10,499 to 1 against him he won. His number was 263. He threw up his hat and went home to break the good news to his father. This man, who may fairly be called as happy as any in New York today, has not a Yankee name. He is Nicolò Scotelario, a medical student, twenty-two years old.

The lottery was held in the public hearing room of the senate office building, with war department officials in charge of the actual drawing and with members of the senate and house military affairs committees as witnesses. Through the day there was a small crowd of spectators, but altogether probably less than a thousand persons saw any part of the process.

To Call 1,374,000 At Once.

As a result of the drawing every registered man is given a definite place in the liability for service list. Already 637,000 have been ordered to the colors to fill to war strength the regular army and national guard and to constitute the first increment of the national army. To secure the total, 1,374,000 men will be called for examination within a few weeks, officials estimating that two registrants must be called for every soldier accepted. These 1,374,000 will be taken from the head of the liability list, every local district furnishing a fixed quota.

Many Dramatic Incidents.

There were many intimate and dramatic episodes in the drawing. In the first place, Representatives Dent, Gordon, Nicholls, Garrett and Morin, members of the military affairs committee, who witnessed the first stages of the drawing, were all opposed to the selective draft. They came to lend their presence to the occasion as a testimonial that they believed the drawing to be fair and square, even though they opposed the system.

There were a score or more of young men in the room, actively taking part in the drawing or reporting the results, who were numbered in the black capsules in the big jar. One of the war department clerks, standing blindfolded at the jar, drew out his own number, but did not know it until he heard the announcement. A faint smile fluttered across his lips, but his hand dipped again into the jar with the clock-like regularity that had come of practice, and he heard some other fellow's number called when he handed the next capsule to the announcer.

One of the young men at the press tables, writing down the numbers and passing them on to a telegraph operator, mechanically took down a number as it was announced. "That's me," he said as he passed the number across the table, and his pencil was busy again on his pad of paper in a fraction of a second.

The revised system of drawing and the fact that the first numbers drawn appeared to run to the highest numbers left the first call in doubt until a late hour. The higher numbers drew only a few men into the service, while the lower numbers brought in at least 4,500. By 8 o'clock, however, there was no longer doubt that the number then being drawn would not be included in the first levy, and those keeping track of the tally sheets knew about where the young men in whom they were interested stood in the draft.

No. 1 Causes Interest.

There was a great deal of interest over No. 1 and when it would come out of the jar in the gamble for military service for flag and country. It was the four thousand two hundred and sixty-ninth number drawn, and it is probable that none of the No. 1's—a card held in every one of the 4,557 districts of the country—will be called in the first draft.

Some Interesting Incidents.

"Ah, well, it's the first that comes first and it's the last that comes last," declared Walter J. Hitchens, a canny Scotsman, twenty-nine, of Brooklyn when he learned his number was selected first. Hitchens is the first of the draft in Brooklyn.

"I'm willing to do me bit," Hitchens went on to say, but he explained he might have trouble because of his wife and three-year-old child whom, he declared, he will first have to look after. "Now, I won't claim exemption because of my being here from England but four years, but I'll ha' to do it for me wife and baby's sakes."

There is no prouder mother than the mother of Joseph E. Raab of Brooklyn whose name was first also. She said: "My boy Joseph is just twenty-one years old, but he is ready to go. I've kept him home as long as I could because his older brother, John, is already in the guard, a member of the Seventh regiment."

"If you believe me, he is the real apple of my eye."

One Blank Discovered.

When the ten thousand and fourth draft capsule was drawn it was found to be blank, the first to be found thus far in the drawing. The fact was noted on tally sheets before a new 10,004 was drawn.

Fixing Quotas Next Step.

For the benefit of those who now have their numbers and know about the order in which they are likely to be called for examination under the selective draft law it may be stated that the next official move to be made, according to the regulations, is:

The determination by the governor of the quotas to be called and furnished by the several local boards.

This will determine how many men from your district must go into the service. The possibility of exemptions will necessitate the examination of two or three times as many men as are needed.

The war department's bulletin for the information of registrants says:

As soon as quotas are assigned each state and each board, each will call upon persons whose card in its jurisdiction instructing the present themselves for examination. This call will be posted at the office of the local board and the papers will be requested to print it. A notice will also be mailed to you, but the posting of the list at the office of the board will be deemed sufficient notice to charge you with the duty of presenting yourself.

The law therefore makes it your duty to inform yourself when you are called. The mailing is for your convenience, but if the letter never reaches you you can not make that an excuse.

Watch the lists at the office of your board and see when you are called for examination.

You must report for physical examination on the day named in your call. (a) If you are found physically disqualified the board will give you a certificate which will explain to you what your further duties are.

(b) If you are found physically qualified and file a claim for exemption within seven days after your call you will be given ten days after filing your claim of exemption to file proof in support of your claim of exemption.

(c) If you are found physically qualified and file no claim for exemption or if you do not appear for physical examination your name will be posted to the district board as one who was called for military service and was exempted or discharged.

On the eighth day after call or within two days thereafter copies of the list of persons so posted to the district boards will be given to the press with a request for publication. will be posted in a place at the office of the local board accessible to the public view and notice will be mailed to you at the address on your registration card.

Therefore watch the notices posted in the office of the board about ten days after the day you were called and make arrangements for the prompt receipt of mail.

The above instructions from the war department therefore put 1 up to you.

Why Look?

Mrs. Jenkins, a regular visitor in the doctor's consulting room, started on the long story of her troubles. The doctor endured it patiently and gave her another bottle. At last she started out, and the doctor was congratulating himself when she stopped and exclaimed:

"Why, doctor, you didn't look to see if my tongue was coated!"

"I know it isn't," warmly replied the medical man. "You don't find grass on a race track."—Epworth Herald

Not Melodiously Gifted.

"Don't you love our song, 'The Star Spangled Banner'?"

"I do," replied Senator Sorghum. "Then why don't you join in the chorus?"

"My friend, the way for me to show real affection for a song is not to try to sing it."—Washington Star.

MAY YET VOLUNTEER.

Any one of the 9,700,000 young men who were drawn for army service may yet enlist in the regular army, the national guard, the navy or the marine corps and automatically pass from the list of conscripted persons.

This right will pass from the individual the minute he receives by mail the official notice from his local board to present himself for examination.

If he volunteers before getting this notice he can pick his branch of the service.

If he is taken under the selective draft he will be assigned to any branch the government designates, without his assent. Brigadier General Crowder, provost marshal general, officially announced this privilege.

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